









## BLACKMAIL.

## THE GAME WORKED ON A PROFESSIONAL MAN.

A Male and Female Sharp Who Operate Together—A Fee of \$1000 Extorted—The Old Panel Game Pops Up Again.

Like all rapidly-growing places, Los Angeles is being overrun by a gang of professional blackmailers, both male and female, and, according to all accounts, the scoundrels are reaping a rich harvest. These thieves are among the smoothest workers in the business, and they are so careful in covering up their tracks that it is almost impossible for the law to get its grip on them.

One of the boldest cases that has ever been worked in the city is now in the hands of a detective firm, and is being looked up.

It seems that the scheme was worked by a man and woman who live in style in one of the most fashionable parts of the city, and are supposed to be wealthy. If the case is brought into the courts it is expected that a nest of rottenness such as is seldom uncovered will be brought to light.

A few weeks ago this precious pair got on the track of what they supposed to be a social scandal in the family of prominent church people. The pair hung about the residence of a professional gentleman who happens to have a female relative who is in the habit of visiting his office, and the blackmailers got it into their heads that she also visited his residence when his wife was out of town.

They watched his house several nights and days and could not catch her, for the reason that she did not visit the house. But they did not give up. They made up their minds to work a scheme on their victim at his office, so they watched the stairway until they saw the girl go up into his office, when they rushed up to his door and placed a light ladder up to the transom. They then crawled up and yelled at the pair.

The couple paid no attention to the blackmailers, who disappeared from the transom as soon as they had attracted the attention of the pair in the office. They took up their stand in the hallway and waited until the pair came out when the man rushed up to the professional man, and told him that he wished to speak to him professionally. The gentleman, who is not acquainted with the dark ways of the blackmailers, did not know what to do, and went with him. As soon as the thief got his victim into a dark corner he blurted out:

"Well, I know all about it, and I guess you want me and my wife to keep our mouths shut. Now how much is our silence worth to you?"

The professional man, who is a good Christian, did not sweat, but he felt inclined to do something desperate, and would probably have knocked the blackmailer down, but that individual is a large, powerful man, and the victim held his peace.

"Well," said the blackmailer, "if you can't make up your mind I will have to think for you. Our silence is worth just \$1000 to you, and I guess you had better give it to me as soon as you can. You know him better than I do, for he is a very near relation of yours."

The poor victim was so badly frightened that he went right back to his office and drew a check, payable to bearer, for \$1000 and handed it to the blackmailer. This was the worst thing he could have done in more ways than one, as he has probably discovered by this time, for the blackmailers are still after the poor victim, and if he does not prosecute them the chances are that they will either run him out of the city or get every dollar he is worth. It is understood that he has told the girl's father the whole story, and they together are determined to bring the pair of blackmailers to justice if possible.

This is only one case out of a dozen that have been worked successfully in this city during the past few months, and it is about time for the authorities to run these thieves out of town or lodge them in jail where they belong.

Only a few weeks ago the old panel game was worked on a prominent lawyer who is the head of a large family. A woman induced him to visit her rooms on the pretext that she wanted to consult him on professional matters and was too sick to go to his office. When he got comfortably seated in the room, the woman, who by the way is very pretty and stylish, suddenly became affectionate and just at the right moment a big burly man rushed into the room and wanted to know what the lawyer was doing, etc. The usual red light and all that kind of business was thrown in, when the outraged husband (?) pulled an ugly gun and threatened to kill them both. The lawyer, who is possessed of a cool head, argued the matter until he got the drop on the male thief, when he gracefully backed out of the room, and made his escape, a wiser if not a happier man.

## SUPERVISORS.

Some Important Road Matters Attended To.

The Board of Supervisors held a session yesterday, at which all the members were present.

Upon motion, Mr. Platt was authorized to redeem all lands where the taxes have been paid and the land sold through error of the Tax Collector.

Supervisor Martin was authorized to give notice to all parties obstructing the roads in the Palmdale district to remove the obstructions.

The old San Pedro Beach road was declared a public highway, and persons obstructing it were notified that they will be required to remove the obstructions.

Certain legal questions arising in the matter of the Sidden's drive, they were referred to the District Attorney for an opinion.

The bids for a well at Downey were taken under advisement by the board. The opening of bids for burying indigents was postponed until May 13th.

On motion, \$100 was transferred from the Wilmington road district to the San Pedro road district, to pay for San Pedro's share of the road-grader now owned by both districts.

J. C. West was appointed road overseer in the Azusa district, in place of Thomas Kampffner, resigned.

The question of rearranging the boundaries of South Pasadena was referred to the District Attorney for a report as to the powers of the board to make the proposed changes.

The board adjourned to Monday next, May 13th.

## WESTLAKE PARK.

What an Entertaining Neighborhood Has Done.

The parties interested in the Westlake Park are evidently determined to get the place in condition so that it can be used during the coming summer, and to that end they are bending all their energies and bringing every possible pressure to bear. Pursuant to an agreement entered into at the meeting of the Park Commissioners, Friday night, Mayor Hazard, Clerk Robinson and Commissioners Hutton, Bryant and Hubbell went out to the park yesterday afternoon to look over the ground and consider the feasibility of at once proceeding with the improvements suggested by Dr. Bryant. These gentlemen went over the ground thoroughly, and yesterday afternoon took another large party, consisting of Messrs. McLain, Van Duzen, Bonnell, Frankensfield and Brown of the Council, Superintendent Legrand, Assistant City Surveyor Lowndes, Dr. Hagan and representatives of the press, when the subject was discussed in detail.

The work has now progressed to such an extent that the water can be turned into the lake, which will increase the area very considerably, but to do this it will be necessary for the city to have laid about 1000 feet of 10-inch pipe. Besides this, the Seventh-street right-of-way will have to be bulkheaded to prevent caving, the plan for which has been agreed upon. Then an outlet will have to be provided for the overflow. This work is the most urgent, and it is hoped to have the Council take the necessary steps to have it done at the meeting tomorrow. The ground has also been prepared for the planting of trees, and during the coming week several thousand will be set out. The Superintendent of Parks has also been instructed to prepare plans for grass plots and flower beds, and these will be got under way just as soon as they are prepared, which will not be later than ten days. The excavating for the foundation for the boathouse has also been commenced, and this structure, together with the band stand, will be rushed to completion, and in less than two months there will be ample boating facilities provided. In addition to this, a number of other improvements have been designed, including the future waterfalls on the north side of the park, where a natural waterfall of 25 feet will be arranged. The grading is also progressing satisfactorily, and even now it is possible to drive around the entire lake over a good road, but it will be perhaps three weeks yet before this will be the proper thing, from a pleasure standpoint. All of this work of course costs money, but the property-owners in the vicinity are contributing dollar for dollar with the city, besides which they are taking a personal interest in the success of the undertaking, all of which is having a wonderful effect in pushing the work.

Dr. Bryant is giving the park his personal attention, spending most of his time on the ground.

The example of the people interested in the Westlake Park is also having its effect on the other parks, and it is more than probable that other sections will be coming to the front with contributions. Mr. Hutton has the Elvian Park under his special care, and this week it is more than likely that the West End Board of Trade will raise \$5000 for improving this fine park. The East Side has not yet been heard from, but it is not unlikely that it will also come forward with a liberal donation.

## FREDERICK GOODHUE.

The Letter Carrier Gets a Hung Jury.

The trial of Frederick Goodhue, ex-letter carrier of the Los Angeles post-office, charged with stealing letters from the mails, was concluded yesterday. The jury, after being out three hours, could not agree and were discharged. The bail of the prisoner was reduced from \$5000 to \$2500.

Goodhue's defense was a singular one. He did not deny that he took the letters addressed to M. Dauphin from the pouches, but claimed that he had a right to do so; that he himself was trying to ascertain who the real thief was, who had been purloining letters before that. It came out in evidence that two of the letters found on Goodhue by Assistant Postmaster Flint were decoy letters, put there to entrap the thief.

Judge Ross in delivering his charge to the jury yesterday morning alluded to this fact and instructed them that the defendant could not be convicted on those two letters; that they were not letters in the eyes of the law; they were only intended as decoys, were not intended to be sent through the mails, and were not, in fact, letters.

The other genuine letters found upon Goodhue, containing remittances to M. A. Dauphin for lottery tickets, did not, of course, come under this criticism and were legitimate evidence.

The wife and child, sister and two brothers of the accused were present during the trial, and all seemed very happy over the disagreement of the jury. The second trial of the prisoner will not take place until the next term of court.

## FOR THE OLD SOLDIERS.

A Committee to Visit the Home of a Soldier.

The members of the Stanton W.R.C. have recently passed resolutions to appoint a committee at every regular meeting to visit semi-invalids at the Soldiers' Home, at Santa Monica, taking with them all reading matter that can be collected, flowers and delicacies. The home being new, is not yet provided with a library, and anything of this kind left with W. A. Hartwell, 18 South Spring street, will be thankfully received and transported to its destination.

The ladies are indebted to all the city dailies for subscriptions, as well as other papers and books; also to the dealers in periodicals, who so generously responded to their call.

## A New Hotel.

Work will be commenced Monday on a handsome three-story family hotel at the corner of Sixth and Hill streets. It is to be called the New Ardmore, and is to be built by Rev. A. M. Hough for Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Robins, the proprietors of the present Ardmore. They intend to make it one of the finest and completest buildings of its kind in the city. All the rooms are to be handsomely decorated and furnished with all modern conveniences.

The hotel is on the St. Vincent property. Its dimensions will be 50x150 feet, and it will cost \$18,000. The architects are Messrs. Dorn & Slocum. The New Ardmore will be a handsome addition to the numerous fine edifices around the Sixth-street Park.

## BAJA CALIFORNIA.

## A VISITOR TO THE SANTA CLARA MINES REPORTS.

He Says It Is a Hard Camp for Placer Miners—They Make from \$1 to \$1.50 a Day—Misrepresentation of a Gold Ledge.

E. J. Swan, the capitalist and mining man who returned from Lower California a few days ago, went down to examine what was claimed to be a very promising gold-bearing ledge near the Santa Clara placers. The ledge in question is located in the Alamo camp and near the somewhat famous Sanchez group of mines. It was represented to Mr. Swan before he went down that the ledge is five feet thick. He found it 12 inches thick at the surface and at the bottom of a 23-foot shaft it narrowed down to 10 inches. The owners of the claim—the Costello Brothers—wanted \$20,000 for a half-interest in the claim at first, but after the investigation they were willing to take \$8000 for the entire claim. Mr. Swan made them a very liberal offer to bond the mine—\$1000 down, one-half of all taken out in 90 days, and their price at the end of that time if satisfactory, erecting a mill at his own expense in the meantime. This offer they refused, and negotiations were broken off.

Mr. Swan brought back with him samples of quartz showing free gold in tempting particles. It is undoubtedly rich, and taking the ledge as it runs, the ore would probably turn out from \$100 to \$200 a ton. The only trouble to be apprehended is that the ledge pinches out before attaining a great depth. The walls being of porphyry confirm this theory. In view of this Mr. Swan was not willing to take the chances of a purchase.

Concerning the placer camp Mr. Swan said: "There are about 3500 people in camp. They are mostly Mexicans or Spanish, with a sprinkling of American miners who are 'dead broke' and can't get away. There is not a house in the place, the people living in tents and cabins. There is no stream of water, all that is available being found in pools and puddles. The miners dig down to hardpan, which fortunately is only two or three feet below the surface, and then they pack the dirt in a sack on their shoulders to the water, where they wash it out with an old-fashioned pan. Everything is done in the most awkward and primitive manner, and a hardworking miner gets only about \$1 or \$1.50 a day. This satisfies some of the Mexicans, but an American will not stand it unless he is obliged to do so to live. It is not possible to work the claims by hydraulics or sluices, there might be a good thing in them, but I doubt whether there is a sufficient supply of water in the country for that."

"On the whole," added Mr. Swan, "I am satisfied that there are better chances for mining right here than in any other part of the State. I would feel a great deal safer to be under Uncle Sam's protection."

Mr. Swan told with considerable interest about stopping at the old mission between Escondido and the camp. This was a mission of the Padres, and he said that he had seen some of the old buildings, but that he did not see any of the old buildings.

The next morning he ground corn in the mill for the first time in 75 years or more, and yet the people had no stove, or even fireplace, but cooked over a fire built on the floor of their cases.

Mr. Swan describes the country as naturally fertile, and says that he rode into a wheat field where the grain reached up to his pony's head.

Mr. Swan was accompanied on his trip by Mr. Moore, formerly one of the proprietors of the Nadeau. It is possible that Mr. Moore may go back to make further investigations or to invest.

## LEGION OF HONOR.

Return of Representatives—Grand Officers Elected.

The following representatives to the biennial session of the Grand Council of California, American Legion of Honor, which convened in San Francisco on Tuesday last, returned by last evening's train from the north: William A. Witte of Evergreen Council, No. 808, Anaheim; W. W. Young of Semi-tropic Council, No. 822, Santa Ana; W. T. Barnett of Safety Council, No. 664, and J. J. Carpenter and C. G. Willman of Good Will Council, No. 629, of this city. They report having had a harmonious, though lively, session, which was concluded late Thursday night.

J. C. Campbell of Jefferson Council, No. 702, San Bernardino; Frank E. of Evergreen Council, No. 808, Anaheim; and J. F. Fosmire of Safety Council, No. 664, this city, remained over to attend the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows next week.

The list of grand officers elected and installed to serve for the ensuing term is as follows:

Grand Commander, J. M. Gleaves of Redding Council No. 957, Redding; Grand Vice Commander, Walter D. Mansfield of Metropolitan No. 640, San Francisco; Grand Orator, Adley H. Cummings of Myrtle No. 187, San Francisco; Grand Secretary, C. O. Burton of Washington No. 480, San Francisco; Grand Treasurer, J. N. Besse of Acacia No. 541, Watsonville; Grand Chaplain, Thomas Filben of Vista 638, Manchester (the three last named being unanimously re-elected); Grand Guide, C. G. Willman of Good Will No. 629, Los Angeles; Grand Warden, Frank E. of Evergreen No. 808, Anaheim; and Mrs. Mary C. Snyder of Valley No. 254, Grass Valley.

The installation was conducted by Ira G. Hoyt, Deputy Supreme Commander, assisted by James L. Fields of Myrtle No. 187, San Francisco, who acted as Supreme Guide.

## "Blackie" on Bread and Water.

For some days past a young tough named Frank Brown, alias "Blackie," now serving a 300-days sentence in the County Jail, has been causing the officials a good deal of trouble. The fellow had rather fight than eat, and he started out to whip every man in the tank where he is confined.

He was satisfied that he made it a rule to lick every new arrival, and generally kept things in a pretty lively condition. He has been repeatedly warned by the officers, but it did not do any good, and Thursday night he knocked down a boy and hurt him severely. For this offense Brown was yesterday placed in the dungeon on a bread and water diet, where he will be kept until his pugilistic instincts are sufficiently subdued to make it safe to allow him the freedom of the tanks.

## THE WHEELMEN.

Still Preparing for the State Meet—Local Riders.

The local wheelmen are busy preparing for the State meet, to be held here May 30th (Decoration day) and 31st, June 1st and 2d. The programmes of the meet have all been mailed. The racers have been doing hard work training at the track, and are fast getting into fine form. The rainy weather has interfered to some extent with track work, but the indications are that the weather will be superb henceforth. The flyers have not been trying to do any fast riding yet, desiring first to get muscle in good condition. However, W. S. Wing succeeded in doing a mile Friday in 2:53 without any apparent trouble. By race day the racers will make record-breaking time.

The death knell of the bicycle uniform has been pretty well sounded among English gentlemen riders, and in its place they wear a suit of gray or dark brown cloth. Of course, it will be in vogue with the American cyclo-Anglo-maniac, because "it's English, you know."

Club runs do not draw in this city nowadays because of the attractions at Agricultural Park; that is, the flyers training for the Decoration-day races.

Hagerstown, Md., has been decided on as the place for the national L.A. W. meet, and the dates, July 2d, 3d and 4th.

The following local flyers are training at Agricultural Park: Messrs. W. S. Wing, J. Phillip Percival, Thomas Romero, D. L. Burke, P. L. Abel, John Tufts and R. C. Woodward. A number of the above have sleeping rooms in the park club-house.

Oklahoma was invaded by a party of wheelmen, who calmly waited the hour of opening, then mounted their wheels and distanced the slow-moving boomers. It is stated that they failed to secure claims, and, consequently, were in the soup.

Third street, between Main and Spring streets, is fast becoming a rendezvous for all the expert trick-riders in the town, where they give their marvelous and graceful exhibitions of skillful riding, to the delight of the ever-present look-on.

This week a tournament and wheel exhibition will be held at the Chicago Exposition. Every American make of wheels will be represented.

It is stated that the wheelmen of Santa Ana and Orange will combine and give a race meet on the Fourth of July.

Stephen Terry, a prominent lawyer of Hartford, Ct., vice-president of the League of American Wheelmen, is dead. He came to Pasadena on a Raymond excursion last month. He was in the best of health when he arrived in California, but he contracted a bad cold, which developed into pneumonia, dying in San Francisco.

The programmes of the State meet have been printed, and are now in the hands of every known wheelman on the Pacific Coast.

## BITUMINOUS LIME ROCK.

The Santa Cruz Company Sues the Los Angeles Company.

A bill of complaint was filed in the United States Circuit Court yesterday by the Santa Cruz Bituminous Rock Company vs. the Bituminous Lime Rock, Paving and Improvement Company.

The complaint sets up the following statement of alleged facts as a basis for the proceedings:

They say that November 10, 1885, Austin Walrath of Nevada City, Cal., invented a method of treating bituminous sand or rock, calling it "improvements in Paving, Roofing and Building Compounds"; that, before his invention, the present method of making bituminous rock was unknown. He applied for a patent November 19, 1885, and his application was granted June 1, 1886. In October, 1887, Walrath sold his patent to the Santa Cruz company, and it proceeded to utilize it in the manufacture of bituminous rock from the deposits of rock or sand discovered near Santa Cruz. The plaintiff company alleges that the Los Angeles company has been infringing upon the patent, and that the process used by it is almost identical with that covered by the patent. The complaint particularizes, stating that the steam boiler and heating tank used by the Los Angeles company is in all essentials the same as used by it. That by such use its patent is infringed upon, and the treatment of bituminous rock in the southern district is in violation of its rights.

The plaintiff therefore prays that a writ of injunction be issued directing the defendant company not to use or cause to be used, any process for treating bituminous sand or rock covered by the patent. It also prays that the defendant be required to account for and pay over to the plaintiff all profits that have been derived from the business, and also be required to pay all damages that the plaintiff company has incurred by reason of the alleged infringement.

## H. O. COLLINS, Esq.

Among the recent additions to the legal fraternity of the city is Holdridge O. Collins, Esq., lately of Chicago. The Chicago Legal News of April 13, 1889, contains the following notice in regard to his removal:

Holdridge O. Collins, for many years a prominent member of the Chicago bar, has been compelled, on account of the ill health of Mrs. Collins, to permanently leave this city, take up his residence in Los Angeles, Cal., and open an office there for the practice of his profession. It affords us pleasure to be able to say to those with whom Mr. Collins has cast his lot, that he is a well-known, able lawyer, and a gentleman of the strictest integrity, with any amount of executive ability. Mr. Collins has for many years been one of the leading members of the Chicago bar association.

In 1879 and 1880 he was its secretary; for five years a member of the Committee on Admissions; for three years a member of the board of managers. At the time of his leaving for Los Angeles he was a member of the Memorial Committee, and as a member of the Banquet Committee he took an active part in the management of the banquet given to Mr. Chief Justice Fuller. Mr. Collins is well known in this State, being a daughter of the City of Peoria, one of the best-known pioneer real-estate lawyers in Illinois. We wish Mr. Collins prosperity in his new home, and hope the sunny air of the City of Angels may restore to Mr. Collins that health he could not regain in the City by the Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins will doubtless receive a hearty welcome to the social circles of Los Angeles, and the gentleman will of course find an easy entrance to the ranks of his brothers in the law.

## GATHERED IN.

There were three arrivals at the County Jail yesterday, MacLavin Aguirre, battery, and Ah Tay, burglary, city, and Charles T. Pearson, petty larceny, Santa Ana. There were 91 prisoners in the tanks at 7 o'clock last evening.

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## WASHINGTON.

## A Decision Ready in Chae Chan Ping's Case.

It Is Understood to Sustain the Chinese Exclusion Act.

Secretary Noble Will Deal Severely with Dakota Squatters.

Huston Sworn in as Treasurer of the United States—No Fears for the Palos—National Notes.

By Telegram to The Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—[By the Associated Press.] The Examiner's Washington special says: The opinion on the Chae Chan Ping case will be delivered in the Supreme Court on Monday next. It is understood that the opinion will be read by Justice Field. It is believed the opinion will affirm the constitutionality of the Exclusion Act.

A number of opinions of interest to the Pacific Coast, notably that in the Terry-Sharon case, will be handed down on Monday. The court will then take a recess until the beginning of the fall term. Justice Field will be in San Francisco about the first week in June.

## THE CROPS.

Generally Favorable Conditions of Grain Reported.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—[By the Associated Press.] The condition of winter wheat has advanced from 94 to 95; that of rye from 93 to 94. The average of winter barley is 96.9. Winter wheat of the Ohio Valley, while fully maintaining its April position, has had a scant supply of moisture, and fears of a future decline of conditions are entertained in case of continued deficiency of rainfall.

On the Atlantic slope recent heavy rains have obviated the effects of previous deficiency. The plant is generally green and flourishing, but has not filled well in localities inclining to dryness. A high condition is reported in the South, although rust has appeared on wheat-blades in some fields.

Percentages of condition of the States of principal production are: Ohio, 90; Michigan, 93; Indiana, 95; Illinois, 98; Missouri, 98; Kansas, 98; Texas, 98.

In East New York and Pennsylvania the average is 98; Maryland and Virginia, 98. Chick bugs are reported in Missouri and Kansas, and in some instances elsewhere, without any indication of serious injury.

Spring plowing is much further advanced than May last year.

The weekly weather crop bulletin says: "The weather during the week generally throughout the Southern States and central valleys has been unfavorable to crops, owing to deficiency in rain. In the North-west the general effect of the week was to improve crop conditions. This statement applies to Minnesota, Dakota, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas and Northwest Missouri. Some replanting in this section is necessary, owing to high winds, which uncovered and scattered the seeds. The weather was favorable for corn-planting throughout the corn belt, Dakota reporting an unusually large acreage, and planting well advanced. The condition of the fruit crop is encouraging in all sections."

## SIOUX LANDS.

Settlers Who Have Entered Them to Be Evicted.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—[By the Associated Press.] Secretary Noble was shown dispatches from Pierre, Dak., dated today, in which it was said that many settlers had entered Sioux reservation, and stated that the reservation was closed.

On suspicion of a favorable result pending negotiations with the Indians for a cession of a large part of their territory, and thinking that permission to enter the reservation and select claims had been granted by officials of the Interior Department at Washington, provided it was done peacefully.

When asked if permission had been given, the Secretary said that no such authority had been given. If settlers had entered the reservation they would be ejected immediately. The public survey of one of the boundary lines, he said, had been suspended temporarily, pending the negotiation for fear of creating alarm or distrust among the Indians. He expressed the hope that the report of settlers entering Indian lands would prove unfounded, as it might seriously embarrass the commissioners in the negotiations, but if found true the action of the department would be prompt and effective.

## WASHINGTON NOTES.

Treasurer Huston Takes the Oath—Counting the Treasury's Cash.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—[By the Associated Press.] The Secretary of the Treasury has appointed E. B. Daskin, A. T. Huntington and G. W. Robertson a committee to examine the books and assets of the United States Treasury, incidental to the transfer of the office of Treasurer from Hyatt to Huston. The latter took the oath of office this afternoon, and will take charge on Monday morning. The examination will include a count of all moneys in the treasury vaults, aggregating nearly \$300,000,000. This examination is a work of great magnitude, and will take a force of 50 expert counters over four months' time.

MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS.

The Comptroller of the Currency today authorized the First National Bank of Goldenfield, Wash., with a capital of \$50,000, United States Consul Willard, at Guaymas, Mexico, reports to the Department of State that the flags on foreign consulates and the Mexican public buildings were unfurled April 30th in honor of the centennial of Washington's inauguration.

Secretary Tracy today awarded the Richmond Locomotive and Machine Works the contract for supplying boilers and machinery of the battleships, now building at the Norfolk Navy Yard. The price fixed in the contract is \$634,500.

NO FEARS FOR THE PALOS.

The officers at the Navy Department absolutely discredit the report that the Palos has been lost off the Chinese station. It appears that but eight days elapsed between the date of the last official report, April 16th, and the sailing of the steamer bringing the report of her loss. This is a period hardly long enough to admit of the Palos having been relieved by one of the vessels at a distant northern port, and being at sea for a time sufficient to justify the apprehension of her loss. The Palos is a gunboat of 420 tons.

MINING CASE ARGUED.

Assistant Secretary Chandler of the Interior Department and Assistant Attorney-General Shields today heard argument on the motion to review the decision of the department rendered March 15th, by which the Holton mining lode at Helena, Mont., was awarded to the Elkhorn Mining Company. The case was taken under advisement.

THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP.

The President and party started down the Potomac this morning, and will return Monday afternoon.

The Record Not Broken.

New York, May 11.—The walking match ended this evening, the record not having been broken. Those who made 500 miles share in the gate money thus: Herby, \$50; Cartwright, \$38; Norumac, \$33; Hegman, \$20; Hughes, \$19; Smith, \$10; Golden, \$5.

Weekly Bank Statement.

New York, May 11.—The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Reserve decrease, \$672,000; specie decrease, \$3,204,000. The banks now hold \$3,972,975 in excess of the 25 per cent. rule.

## THE SENATORIAL COMMITTEE.

Preparations Made to Receive Them This Week.

In accordance with a suggestion contained in a dispatch from Congressman Vandever, a special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held yesterday to devise means for entertaining the Senatorial committee which is to arrive in the city next Tuesday. The committee is composed of Senator Hoar, chairman; Senators Allison, Dolph and three others.

The meeting yesterday appointed the following committee of arrangements: Hon. S. M. White, to act with E. W. Jones, who was made chairman of the committee; and Messrs. W. F. Fitzgerald, E. F. Spence, Hervey Lindley, J. R. Mathews, Sutherland Hinton and H. Z. Osborne.

The committee held a meeting at 2 p.m. and added the following gentlemen to their number to assist in the entertainment of the distinguished guests and be present at the dinner at night: Ex-Senator Cole, ex-Congressman Markham, Gen. Mansfield, Mayor H. T. Gazar, Maj. Gard, Deputy Commander G. A. R.; Gen. E. P. Johnson; Col. Grierson, U.S.A., Department of Arizona; W. U. Masters, president Pasadena Board of Trade; S. B. Lewis, president Los Angeles Board of Trade; J. Frankfield, President City Council; and S. M. Perry, chairman Board of Supervisors.

It was decided to receive the committee at the Wolfskill depot, and to provide a breakfast at the depot hotel. About 100 men, representing different industries in the city, will be asked to meet the party at the depot. The entire party will go to San Pedro by special train, where the harbor will be inspected, and the necessities for improvements shown to the visitors. The special train will return to the city about noon. After lunch there will be a drive about the city, and its improvements will be shown. The present postoffice will be inspected, and a comparison made between it and the new public building, the inadequacies of the latter being pointed out.

There will be a dinner at 6 o'clock at the California Club, the visitors leaving on the late train. Should there be any changes in the programme mapped out, they will be announced in due time.

## No Better.

There was no change for the better in Mrs. Chamberlain's condition yesterday. She has now been lying in a stupor for the past 60 hours, and can recognize no one, not even her husband or her closest friends. The physicians have about given up her case, and think that there is no chance for her recovery. The Cole family, who had Chamberlain arrested on the charge of rape, have left the place, and it is believed that they have gone to East Los Angeles. Chamberlain says that he will have no trouble to prove that he did not even see the child on the evening when the alleged crime was committed.

## Army News.

By special orders No. 41 just issued from headquarters Troop G, Fourth Cavalry (Thompson's), will proceed from Fort Lowell to San Carlos, Ariz., for temporary duty, relieving Troop F, Tenth Cavalry (Kennedy's). Upon arrival of Troop G, Fourth Cavalry, at San Carlos, Troop F, Tenth Cavalry, will return to station at Fort Lowell.

A furlough of four months is granted Ordinance Sergeant Henry Scoll, to take effect upon his reenlistment. Leave of absence for one month is granted to Lieut. C. M. Bockefeller, Ninth Infantry.

Testing a Rapid-fire Gun.

ANNAPOIS, May 11.—The trial of the Briggs-Schroeder rapid-fire six-pounder gun took place today at the naval ordnance proving grounds near here under Lieutenant Commander Dayton, Lieut. Briggs, the inventor, and naval attaches of the German and Japanese legations at Washington. The gun fires the same ammunition as the Hotchkiss six-pounder. The inventor claims several points of superiority over that gun. The test today was for rapidity of firing, non-heating qualities, security against premature explosions and smoothness of machinery. The gun was fired 19 times in one minute and 60 times in four minutes and 30 seconds, everything working satisfactorily.

The Scotch-Irish Congress.

COLUMBIA (Tenn.), May 11.—The Scotch-Irish congress closed today with several stirring speeches. It was a brilliant success in every respect. The permanent organization having been formed, those wishing to become members of the society or to contribute to the literature of the pamphlet will still remain the proceedings until address A. C. Floyd, secretary, Columbia, Tenn.

Jackson a Terror.

VIRGINIA (Nev.), May 11.—There was a glove contest tonight between Peter Jackson, the Australian champion, and Fred Kangman. Kangman was to stand up for six rounds, but failed to stay, proving no match for Jackson, and gave up in the fourth round. The battle was very tame, Jackson merely playing with Kangman.

Accidentally Killed.

STOCKTON, May 11.—Lindie Goodell, a young dentist of this city, was instantly killed at 12:50 o'clock this afternoon by the explosion of a cartridge which he was endeavoring to extract from a gun.

Stockton's Coming Election.

STOCKTON, May 11.—The first election under the new charter will be held on the 21st. The Republicans tonight nominated a ticket, with R. S. Johnson for Mayor.

Colton Wants a Courthouse.

COLTON, May 11.—Petitions are in circulation to the Board of Supervisors to call an election for the removal of the Courthouse. Colton is the objective point.

Sentenced for Life.

JACKSON (Mich.), May 11.—R. Irving Latimer was sentenced to State's Prison for life for the murder of his mother.

Leg-end of Los Angeles.

It was a long, long time ago, As you must plainly see, A youth with hair as white as tow, Roomed this city's streets in gloom. The years rolled on—and let them roll—That boy became a man; And oft he scratched his shaven poll As towheads do and can. And then he left, and long was gone, His kindred for him yearned; Time still rolled on, and years went down, In good sooth, a man of mien—ree. His hair was gone, his pate was bald, His teeth also—he was a sight to see, A Cromwellian man or ancient shield, In good sooth, a man of mien—ree. "Where hast thou been, thou aged man, Oh, Trombone, answer me; Hast roamed where foreign rivers ran, In lands beyond the sea?" "Nay, nay, thy taunting words forbear, These are not what I've seen, The truth I'll tell, and to it swear, I've to the postoffice been." REE.

Written for The Times.

A Wayfarer.

There dwelt a young man in Dubuque, As proud and as tall as a duke, He was born in Centralia, Grew up in Sedalia, So they called him a sucker and pugue, BZZ.

## ARIZONA BANDITS.

## They Rob an United States Paymaster.

Eight of the Officers' Escort Wounded in the Fight.

The Outlaws Secure \$29,000 and Make Their Escape.

Sensational Breach of Promise Suit at San Francisco—Pardons Granted by the Governor—Other Coast News.

By Telegram to The Times.

TUCSON (ARIZ.), May 11.—[By the Associated Press.] Maj. J. W. Wham, paymaster, with Clerk Gibbons and an escort of 11 soldiers, were on their way this afternoon from Wilcox to pay the post at Fort Thomas, and when in a narrow gorge, a few miles north of Cedar Springs, they were attacked by a party of ambushed men. A constant fire was kept up for nearly half an hour, when eight of the escort were wounded, five dangerously. The robbers succeeded in securing \$29,000, and escaped into the mountains.

Maj. Wham was uninjured, but Gibbons' clothing was torn by the shot. A troop of cavalry has been sent out from Fort Grant to watch the mountain passes, so that the highwaymen may not escape. The number of the latter is not known, but is believed to be seven or eight.

PUGH'S PROTEST.

The Alabama Senator Opposed to Aid for Irrigation.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—[By the Associated Press.] Senator Pugh of Alabama in an interview stated that he was opposed to appropriations being made for irrigation, as the Government has no power to appropriate public money for reclaiming land for agricultural purposes. The fact of the Government undertaking to furnish water as a fertilizer of deserts would open up an unlimited field for appropriations. It never will be an object of national concern to irrigate deserts.

Constitutional lawyers, he said, have always maintained that the Government has no power to appropriate money for cultural uses. The Government has the right to appropriate money for making surveys and estimates so that individuals may obtain information and appropriate these lands in the best way for themselves.

At the present time and for years to come the necessity of more land being brought into use, if all the uncultivated lands which have passed into private hands were worked. It was criminal for the Government to give away its public domain, but it must not try to rectify its error by an unconstitutional act.

When the time arrives for irrigation private capital will jump to meet the occasion, as it always does when there is any necessity for it. The Senatorial Committee on Relations with Canada left this morning for Monterey, where they will stay until Monday. Then they will visit the southern part of the State, probably accepting the invitation extended by the Los Angeles Board of Trade. On Thursday next they leave Puget Sound, and after examining the military fortifications at Esquimaux will probably visit Alaska.

THE PARDONING POWER.

Gov. Waterman Exercises It for Several Convicts.

SACRAMENTO, May 11.—Major Waterman today exercised his pardoning power in three cases. The first was a man named Sullivan, who was sentenced to life for the murder of his wife; Matt Sullivan, Los Angeles robbery; term, three years. The persons whose sentences are commuted are: John W. Rice, felony, sentenced October 31, 1887, to a term of four years; Frank Furman, grand larceny, Fresno, term eight years; John J. Keefe, Humboldt county, and George A. Sclano county, convicted of murder in the second degree.

SHE WANTS DAMAGES.

A Breach of Promise Case with Sensational Features.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—[By the Associated Press.] Walter F. Burns, who took a shot at William G. Lee and Lyle M. Fletcher two weeks ago for, as he claimed, insulting two young seminary girls and then refusing to apologize, was made defendant today in a suit for \$25,000 damages for breach of promise.

The plaintiff is Miss Emma Tillmore of this city. Burns is in Los Angeles, but his brother says the case is one of blackmail.

Smuggling at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—The five trunks seized on the steamer City of New York yesterday were taken to the Appraiser's store this morning, and each found to contain 400 boxes of prepared opium of the Yen Goo brand. Collect F. Hager said the seizure was made on information received some time ago.

As the second engineer of the steamer City of New York, which arrived yesterday from China and Japan, was leaving the vessel today, he was arrested by the Customs Inspector for smuggling. Nine five-ounce boxes of prepared opium were found on him.

A Railroad Sold.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—N. D. Rideout and A. J. Binner have finally sold the Northern California Railroad to the Southern Pacific Company. A. N. Towne, general manager of the latter road, acknowledged the fact today, but would not make public the purchase price. It is said that for the 20 miles of road between Marysville and Oroville some \$450,000 will be given.

A Pomona Pastor Honored.

POMONA, May 11.—Rev. O. Clute of the Unitarian Church of this place has been chosen president of the Michigan State Agricultural College, at Lansing, and will leave for that city about June 1st.

Fined for Libel.

PORTLAND (Or.), May 11.—Bruno Sittig, editor of the Erie Press, convicted the other day of criminally libeling Editor John Folkman of the rival German paper, was fined \$150 today.

The Weather.

SIGNAL OFFICE, LOS ANGELES, May 11.—At 5:07 a.m. the barometer registered 30.02; at 5:07 p.m., 29.98. Thermometer for corresponding periods, 51, 59. Maximum temperature, 70; minimum temperature, 50. Weather, partly cloudy.

INDICATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—Indications for 24 hours: For California, local rains in districts north of latitude of San Francisco, fair weather elsewhere and slightly warmer in Southern California.

EASTERN TEMPERATURES.

CHICAGO, May 11.—Temperatures: New York, 70°; Chicago, 48°; St. Paul, 56°; Winnipeg, 44°; New Orleans, 65°.

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Walnuts, Chestnuts and Peanuts, as well as Grain and Vegetables of all



## LEO'S LITTLE GAME.

HE HAD A FEW ACES UP HIS SLEEVE AND WON.

A Gentle Game of Poker and Its Result—A Brand New Deck of Cards—The Kicker Grabbed His Arm and Held It Up—Leo May Have to Leave the City.

When young men go to gambling and find that they cannot win by fair means, they are apt to pick up a few bungling card tricks and work them off with more or less success on green-horns, but it is seldom that they gather up courage enough to attempt to work their sleight-of-hand business on their friends. There is a young man of this type in Los Angeles, however, and he has made himself most thoroughly disliked during the past few days.

As the story goes, a few nights ago he invited some of his young friends to join him at a game of poker. All of them are bloods of the two-bit order, and for that reason there were not more than a few million dollars in the game. A brand new deck of cards was opened, and the game was called. For the first few hands betting was rather tame, and the pot was pulled down on very small pairs. On the fourth hand the proposer of the game, who shall be called Leo, because that is not his name, got in his deadly work with three aces. The next hand he held two aces and a pair of queens. The invited guests thought nothing of Leo's good playing until ten or twelve games had been played, and it was noticed in almost every instance that Leo held some cards in the pot. He was about \$15 ahead of the game when one of the guests suddenly ejaculated:

"This thing is going too d—d far. Leo never won a dollar before, and I notice that he is playing aces up his sleeve every time. Now, gentlemen, this is not luck, as any one who knows anything about poker will tell you, and I move that we have an investigation right here."

Leo turned pale, and made a move as if to shift something from his coat sleeve to the deck of cards, but the player who had made the "kick" was too quick for him, and before poor Leo knew what was up, the kicker had grabbed his arm and held it up in plain view of the audience.

"Now, gentlemen," said the kicker, "I will show you how my nice friend has won our money," and without further preliminaries the protester pulled two aces out of poor Leo's coat sleeve. "Look at him, gentlemen, and tell me whether we can afford to associate with a man who will rob his friends in such a cold-blooded manner."

The boys expressed their disgust in the most approved style and marched out of the room. Poor Leo was heart-broken, but he did not go off and commit suicide, as some young men would have done. He simply walked down to a restaurant and spent \$2 of his ill-gotten gains on a good dinner.

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## AND HOW HE WORKED A MAN FOR SIX BITS.

He was a little boy—not the aristocratic little boy spoken of in *Iolanthe*, but just a pigmy of a newsboy and match peddler grown in Los Angeles. He was an Angeleno all through. He went through the boom excitement and "caught on." He knew the tricks that he saw played, and all in all he belonged to the ramshackle gang that infests the corners along Main and Spring streets. Robert Mackay was his name and this is what he did yesterday:

Bobby had a small flour sack with about a dozen boxes of matches in it in his hand. His face was dirty and his eyes were blue and large. With a sneaking gait he wandered along toward Upper Main street. He bowed his head and casually glanced at the houses that he passed. Coming to a large residence on the Westminister Hotel Bobby tried the gate and walked to the center of the front garden. Not a look forward or backward did he give, but fell down in the grass all in a lump by a beautiful rosebush, and began to moan. Then he whispered, then cried and then fairly bellowed.

It was heart rending, Bobby knew his game because he was "there before." Bobby said so. People in passing by stopped and looked and then passed on again. Theirs was idle curiosity.

Soon a small crowd had gathered, and finally an old gray-headed gentleman stepped out of the house and walked up to the little bit of impudent humanity.

"My little boy," said he, "what ails you; are you sick or did somebody hit you?"

"No-o, s-sir, I-I-I lost s-o-o-m-e m-m-o-n-e-y," answered the little chap. "How much did you lose and where?"

"N-n-o, I-I-I do-n't know, sir; it was 6-f-f-y cents, and if I do-n't get it my father w-i-l whip me-o."

"Here's 50 cents and two-bits besides; now g'long," said a philanthropic bystander, as he handed Bobby the money.

Bobby stopped crying, and as he went away the Times man tackled him.

"Sonny, that's a good trick; where did you get on to it?"

Bobby stopped crying and dried the money tears away. A smile broke over his dirty face, and he winked.

"That's all right," said he, "sabe? I know my business."

"But how much do you make a day on your fake?"

"Say, you want know too much. You're too flip; you'd better scoot."

The reporter scooted.

A WAYWARD SON.

He Gets Out of Hook to Enter the Navy.

Last evening Fred Ryan, the son of ex-Congressman Ryan of Kansas City, who was arrested on the 17th of April last for swindling the Bristol Sisters out of a considerable sum of money, by means of a fraudulent draft, was brought before Justice Stanton for examination. The Bristol Sisters acknowledged that their loss had been made good, the amount of the draft having been paid, and declined to prosecute, whereupon Ryan was discharged. He was then remanded to the custody of Chief Burns until this morning, when he will be sent to San Diego, where he goes on the United States steamer Ranger, having been enlisted in the navy for three years.

Ryan has been in the City Prison

ever since his arrest, during which time his affairs have been arranged by his father, who paid up everything that his son owed, and secured his enlistment in the navy.

The final arrangements were concluded yesterday, and when the final papers were received the boy was brought before Justice Stanton and quietly discharged. Young Ryan's father is a very prominent man in his State, and stands high in the estimation of the people, and much sympathy was extended him during his trouble. Chief Burns deserves credit for the manner in which he conducted the case, as he has probably saved the young man from State's prison, and sent him again on the right road.

## EAST SIDE.

The Daily Budget of Personal Notes and Happenings.

Only three arrests on the East Side last week. One for lodging, one drunk and one estray.

John Woodward came down from San Fernando yesterday, and will return Monday.

Judge Richard Dunnigan started yesterday for Terre Haute, Ind., his old home. He goes on business.

The second evening's programme of the reading-room bazaar was introduced last Friday evening by Rev. J. H. Phillips with a few remarks, giving a concise description of the work and aims of the Phillips Club, after which the following parts were presented to a large audience, many not being able to find seats:

Piano solo, with piano accompaniment—Mr. Connor and daughter.

Song, by Miss Edman.

Recitation, "Woman's Rights"—By Miss Kittie Richards, and in response a hearty encore "The Fashionable Schoolgirl" was given.

Song—Albert and Arthur Coombs.

Calisthenics, ring exercises—Frederick Calisthenics—Miss Richards' pupils, Miss Clara Owen and Miss Ada Bainter.

Guitar solo—Mrs. Henry Straley.

Piano solo—Mrs. Brown.

Calisthenics, dumb bells—Misses Clara and Bertha Owen, Ada Bainter and Gerlie McIntosh.

Military drill—"The Harvard Military Boys" from the West Side.

At the conclusion of the programme the bazaar was again thrown open and refreshments served.

During the evening a group was formed of the officers of the Philip Club and Ladies' Society and the ladies in charge of the booths, and an instantaneous photograph was taken.

Among the most noticeable decorations to be seen were paintings from local artists, Miss Whelpley and Mr. George Gruber.

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## THE CITY IN BRIEF.

There will be a Danish picnic today at the Second-street Park.

Otto Pauling, a Prussian, was admitted to citizenship yesterday by Judge Van Dyke.

Yesterday was very dull in police circles, only one arrest being made during the entire day.

There is an undelivered telegram at the Western Union Telegraph office for Emmett F. Saunders.

Orange Lodge 1.O.B.B. will have an open meeting at 7:30 o'clock this evening at No. 24 South Spring street.

In the article on indemnity lands the other day the name of Samuel Hamilton should have been used instead of J. M. Hamilton.

The Native Californians will picnic today in the Arroyo Seco. There is a prospect of a large attendance and a royal good time.

F. Ancuna was before Judge McKinley yesterday on a charge of stealing \$2.50. The prosecuting witness did not materialize, and the prisoner was discharged.

Yesterday afternoon the night squad of the police were photographed in full uniform, at the corner of Fort and Second streets. The men presented a fine appearance.

B. F. Collins, the Santa Monica rapist, was yesterday taken down to the future great by the sea, where he had his preliminary examination, and was held to answer in \$10,000 bail.

One of the inmates of Cora Phillips' bagnio lost a diamond earring Thursday evening, and for a time the place was torn up over the affair. The missing jewel has not yet been recovered.

Fred Hewitt, who has been connected with the Grand Opera-house for nearly two years, leaves today for the East, where he will join the Haverly-Cleveland combination in a business capacity.

It is reported that one of the feminine captains of the Salvation Army has levanted, taking with her \$150 of the funds. The army is very much broken up, both in confidence and funds.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to the following persons: John B. Burkhardt, aged 35, and Mrs. Sarah E. Wallen, aged 35, of Pomona; Gustave Schutte, aged 23, and Ada Wright, aged 24, city.

Dr. Brooks, late candidate for Vice-President, and Prof. Dickie, chairman of the National Prohibition Committee, will visit California in July. They will receive a hearty welcome from the Prohibition people.

Sackett Cornell, a newspaper man of considerable experience in Los Angeles, is preparing to establish a daily paper in Santa Ana. He proposes to call it the Orange County Daily Chronicle, and the first issue will appear next Tuesday.

Ah Tay, a covetous Celestial, yesterday broke into the room of a fellow Mongolian, Ah Chanley, a vegetable peddler, and stole a watch and chain. He was captured by Deputy Constable Billy Cline and lodged in the County Jail.

Architects Dorn and Slocum have just let the contract for a handsome residence to be built for John M. Dunsmoor at the corner of Figueroa and York streets. It is to cost \$3000, and will be an ornament to the neighborhood.

Before Judge Shaw yesterday the case of the Los Angeles National Bank v. D. W. Colby et al. was decided in favor of the plaintiff's judgment and decree being ordered entered to that effect, and the default of the defendants entered.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the New Unity Church will give an entertainment in the new church, corner of Seventh and Fort streets, Thursday evening, May 16th. There will be a choice programme, literary and music, and a strawberry festival.

J. M. Skinner and John Lazarovich were arraigned in Justice Savage's court yesterday on a charge of malicious injury to a freehold. They pleaded not guilty, and their trial was set for May 20th. They were released upon their own recognizance.

The Baptist picnic at Santa Monica yesterday was largely attended and greatly enjoyed. It was a delightful day for a picnic, and the occasion will long be remembered by those who participated. The excursion was made over the new Los Angeles and Pacific line.

Last night about 11:30 o'clock a man and woman, driving down Main street in a buggy, were thrown out by the vehicle catching on the street-car track. They were taken into Laux's drug store, where their injuries were attended to, after which they were sent home.

The Cahuenga Valley Railroad case was set for argument before Judge Clark yesterday, but on account of another case being on trial, was continued to some day not named. This is the case in which the citizens on West Temple street are seeking to have that portion of the road within the city limits declared a nuisance.

Ex-Police Officer Jerry Comboy, has secured a decree in his suit for divorce against his wife. The trial was a particularly salacious one, and there was a great deal of filth brought out. Comboy was the plaintiff in the case, and he claims that the dirty stories were circulated by his wife and her family to prejudice the case against him.

The proposed reorganization of the police force is still all the talk in official circles, and is having quite a demoralizing effect. The three members of the majority of the commission positively deny that anything of the kind is contemplated, but several politicians and others interested claim as strongly that they have seen the list, and that it contains about 30 names.

Chauncey B. Fuller, a crank, was committed to Stockton yesterday by the commissioners in lunacy in Judge Shaw's court. Fuller is a melancholy crank. He broods over imaginary wrongs, and has but few words for any one. He wandered away from the County Hospital not long ago, and is very much afraid of going back there, believing that if he does they will cut off his legs and arms, and carve him to pieces little by little.

In the matter of the discharge of Solomon Troutwine by Justice Lockwood on Thursday last, on the charge of distributing boycott circulars in front of Brown's bakery, Assistant District Attorney Hardesty, who had charge of the prosecution, denies that the discharge was granted owing to a mistake in the complaint. He says the prosecution had no case, and it was therefore useless for him to be present when the case came up.

An order was granted by Judge Van Dyke yesterday for the custody of a child pending the divorce proceedings between Mr. and Mrs. Parcells. The order was upon a habeas corpus petition, and the plaintiff, Mrs. Parcells, was granted the custody of the child, a boy about 5 years old. Upon the condition, however, that it is not to be taken from the city, and that the defendant have the privilege of visiting the child at all reasonable hours.

## PEOPLE'S STORE.

Daily Bulletin of the Leading Dry Goods House.

SUNDAY, MAY 12, 1889.  
WHAT IS ON SPECIAL SALE FOR TOMORROW.

What Our Ladies' Underwear Presents at 25c each.

Ladies' muslin chemise, drawers, corset covers, night gown and children's dresses all made of fine materials nicely trimmed at 25c. Some of these garments are worth three times the price.

Books Free—A Cake of Balm Fir Soap 25c and Two Books Free.

BOOKS FREE. BOOKS FREE.

A novel method of placing soap before the public: it has more merits than any other soap made. It is good for the skin, splendid for the teeth, and only 25c a cake. With it we give free two books, Robert Elsmere with the author's portrait and Gladstone's criticism on Robert Elsmere.

Fancy Challis Dress Goods, 65c a yard. Everyone has been admiring these goods and all have come to the conclusion that it will make rich and handsome and for the price they have never seen anything like dark colors, elegant designs at 65c a yard; worth 125c.

Ornamental Dado Opaque Window Shades, 75c; worth \$1.25.

One of the finest, seven feet long by three feet wide dado opaque window shades with patent spring rollers at 75c; are ornamental as well as useful, and worth \$1.25.

OUR NEW EASY WINDOW CURTAINS. Dr. Hoy's tooth powder, 5c; Colgate's Turkish bath soap, 10c; rubber dressing comb, 10c; the best envelopes for 4c; receipt books, 10c; writing tablets filled with the finest paper, 10c; barometer envelopes, 5c a package; Jack knives, 10c; autograph album, 5c; seven-inch shears, 10c; 28 views of Riverside for 25c; 42 views of Los Angeles and vicinity, 25c; Willis's handkerchief extracts, 25c, as good as any sold in the city at 50c.

Don't overlook our great sale of ladies' underwear at 25c apiece.

OUR CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

Men's Robby Sack Suits, \$4.50; worth \$6.

Men's All-wool Fine Suits, \$5.25; worth \$10.50.

Boys' Sailor Suits, 25c; worth \$1.75.

Men's Woolen Pants, \$1.25; worth \$1.75.

Men's Pongee Coats and Vests, \$2.50; worth \$3.50.

FURNISHING GOODS DEPARTMENT.

Boys' Calico Shirt Waists, 125c; worth 25c.

Men's Fancy Ingrain Socks, 125c a pair; worth 25c.

Men's Fine Suspenders, 15c; worth 25c.

Men's Unlaundried Shirts, 50c; worth 75c.

Men's Gray Merino Shirts and Drawers, 25c each; worth 50c.

Our wholesale and retail departments in these lines are packed almost to the ceiling with the best possible values, two floors worth as much as they can possibly hold, and you'll find bargains better than anything ever seen in the United States.

MEN'S HAT DEPARTMENT.

Boys' and Men's Straw Hats, 15c each; worth 30c.

Children's Straw Hats, Various Styles, 25c; worth 50c.

Boys' White or Mixed Straw Hats, 30c; worth 60c.

Men's Fine White Straw Hats, Extra Special, 40c; worth 75c.

Men's Fine Select Braid Mackinaw Straw Hats, 75c; worth \$1.50.

Men's Latest Popular Shape, Finest Straw Hats at 95c; sold elsewhere at \$1.75.

Everyone speaks of our hat department, wondering where we get them so at such prices, less than half what others ask; we're the very latest, just received yesterday, and for a stylish hat for proper prices the People's Store is the only place.

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

Men's Hook Lace Calf Shoes, \$1.00; worth \$2.75.

Men's Heavy Working Shoes, \$1.25; worth \$2.

Men's Russet Shoes, the latest craze, \$2.50; worth \$4.50.

Ladies' Fine Kid Shoes, \$2.25; worth \$3.75.

Ladies' Fine French Kid Shoes, Turn-soles, \$3.50; worth \$5.

Misses' Fine Curacao Kid Shoes, \$1.25 a pair; worth \$2.50.

Boys' Hook-lace, London Toe and Tip Shoes, \$1.25; worth \$2.25.

Children's Grain Leather Shoes, 80c; worth \$1.50.

Alma, Bronze and Russet Polish at Proper Prices.

The best values that have ever been noted on paper. This department is always doing you good, and every pair of shoes warranted as represented; in any case where the shoe does not give satisfaction bring them back. We want no shoes to leave our establishment that will not prove what we say.

DESS-GOODS DEPARTMENT.

Colored Surah Silk, 80c a yard; worth \$1.50.

Double-fold Crepe Cloth, 15c a yard; worth 25c.

Double-fold Novelty Suitings, 15c a yard; worth 25c.

Double-fold Luzerne Suitings, 25c a yard; worth 50c.

All-wool Double-fold Black Hosiery, 10c a pair; worth 20c.

All-wool Double-fold Leggings, 10c a pair; worth 20c.

Double-fold All-wool Cambric-hair Serges, 30c; worth 60c.

All novelties, the latest we have received, and the latest manufactured. We wish to mention our surah silks at 80c; our exquisite, extra heavy and just the thing for bouffant blouses or middie, which are popular at present, and worth \$1.50 a yard. It will do you good to see each item in the list.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT.

Fancy Foulard Prints, 50c a yard.

Real Indigo-blue Prints, 60c a yard.

Colored Cheese Cloths, Yard Wide, 50c a yard.

Lace-trimmed Victoria Lawn, 50c a yard.

Tulle-hat-bath towels, 10c; Good Size.

All Linen Table Damask, 125c a yard.

Extra Quality All Linen Table Damask, 20c a yard.

All Linen Table Napkins, 75c a dozen.

All Linen Damask Towels, Large Size, 10c each.

When in our establishment you take a look at our new lawn; the designs are rare and different, and worth \$1.50 a yard.

We have even seen, and it will be quite a treat to see the variety.

LACE AND HOSIERY DEPARTMENT.

Eight-inch Deep American Lace, 4c a yard.

Ladies' Ribbed Mixed Stockings, 10c a pair.

Children's Solid Colored Plain Stockings, 65c a pair.

Children's Extra Fine Derby Ribbed Stockings, 25c a pair.

Twenty-Four-Inch Square Lace Ties, 125c each.

Lace Pillow Shams, Monster Size, 25c each.

A Very Pretty Folding Fan, 50c each.

OUR EMBROIDERY DEPARTMENT.

This department is better supplied than ever. It has a wide reputation of having some extraordinary bargains, but tomorrow we will outdo anything that has yet been presented. A line of

Embroideries, 15c a yard.

Their width and quality will surpass anything that has been sold at 25c, and even better than many at 35c.

Embroideries at 25c.

Exceptional, and better than we have sold at 50c. Finer work, closer pattern and a bargain without an equal.

GLOVE DEPARTMENT.

Ladies' Berlin Gloves, Jersey Style, 125c; worth 25c.

Ladies' Tulle Silk Gloves, Tans, Grays or Blacks, 25c a pair; worth \$1.00.

You will find our gloves have been selected with care and attention to the style and fit, and this department has won a reputation second to none for its style, fit and durability.

PARASOL AND WRAP DEPARTMENT.

Parasols, 75c a pair; worth \$1.50.

Ladies' Colored Skirts, 80c; worth \$1.50.

Ladies' Beaded Wraps, 85c; worth \$1.50.

Your special attention is called to the latest item—ladies' wraps at 85c, dressy, neat and serviceable, made in the height of style, and in every respect, and just half what they are being sold for elsewhere.

Sateen Sun Shades, 60c each.

A large size sun shade, the best we have yet sold at 60c; worth \$1.

NOTION DEPARTMENT.

Gift banner rolls with fancy chains, 10c; worth 25c.

Novel and new style leather belts, 15c each; worth 25c.

Fancy striped elastic, 50c a yard; worth 10c.

Corset steel protectors, 15c; worth 25c.

Embroidery silk, 10c a bunch, containing various colors; sold elsewhere at 25c.

Skirt extenders, 25c.

PERFUMERY DEPARTMENT.

Ammonia, 10c a bottle; worth 25c.

Essence, 10c a bottle; worth 25c.

Chinese cream camphor, the greatest preparation for destroying moths, bedbugs, mosquitoes, insects, etc. 10c a box; worth 25c.

White broom and holder, 15c; worth 25c.

White Diamond silver polish, 10c; worth 25c.

DRAPERY DEPARTMENT.

Smyma Rug, 35c each.

Lace Curtains, \$1.25 a pair; worth \$2.

Honeycomb Bedspreads, 45c; worth 60c.

Marseilles Bedspreads, \$1.25; worth \$2.

BOOK DEPARTMENT.

The latest books received as soon as published. A choice, well-selected stock of books to select from. Niskanen, by Henry Greville, 38c; Iphigene, by Mrs. Southworth, 65c; Dr. Haneau, by George Omet, 35c; Theo, by Mrs. Burnett, 10c; Hermina Burton, by Mrs. Atherton, 30c; Miss Lou Barriers Burned Away, An Original Belle, and Found, Yet Lost, by Rev. E. P. Roe, all at 10c each; Count of Monte Cristo, complete, 25c; The Girl in Scarlet and Albino, by Emile Zola, etc., etc.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

Tomorrow will be an exceptional day. We will display an entire new line of trimmed hats, made of light gauzy sheer and beautiful silk laces of every shade and tint, every shape and style as being worn at Newport and Saratoga, made from photograph copies just received from one of the first milliners in the world of Parisian artists. The headings and recherche creations from the hand of the milliner will vie in comparison with the work of Parisian artists. A new line of flowers in natural effects, small designs made in a light work anything ever produced, and is a sight worth seeing.

Our Straw Hats at from 25c Up to \$2.25.

All styles and shapes imaginable at from 25c to 60c; can be trimmed on short notice to suit you.

PEOPLE'S STORE.

## Mozart's New Store.

Ladies' lace hats, trimmed with handsome wreaths, \$2; sold elsewhere for \$3. All our millinery very cheap. We are on a side street, with low rent, and our competition. Full-finish regular hose, 13 1/2c a pair; sold elsewhere at 25c. Large assortment of ladies' aprons, 25c. Our prices for dressmaking are only half the usual rate. Mozart's Clerk and Suit House, No. 17 Third street.

Don't Forget that Joe Pohlen, the tailor, has the largest stock, the latest styles, and, above all, the lowest prices. Elegant Suits to order for \$25, made by the best workmen in Los Angeles. 40 and 51 South Spring street.

Better Than Medicine. A course of mud baths at Arrowhead Springs. Price reduced for the summer to \$1 a bath. See advertisement in another column.

Go and Have Fun At the Crystal Plunge, Santa Monica; bath reduced now from 50 cents to 25 and 35 cents.

NOTHING CONTRIBUTES more toward a sound digestion than the use of the genuine Angostura Bitters, of Dr. J. G. B. Siegel & Sons.

The Best. Quaker Restaurant, Ellis & des Granges, proprietors, 135 North Main street. Single meals, 25 cents; 21 meals, \$4.10. Breakfast, 6 to 11; dinner, 11:30 to 4; supper, 5 to 8.

Fits Guaranteed. If you desire a well-fitting garment at the lowest price, be sure to call on Mosgrove, 31 South Spring street.

Beaded Pelegrines. The most exquisite summer wrap known. A full assortment at Mosgrove's, 31 South Spring street.

Eagleson & Co., 50 North Spring street, the only exclusive Men's Furnishing Goods Store in the city.

New Buckwhheat. Just received. Seymour & Johnson Co.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low-test, short-weight, alum or phosphate powders. SOLD ONLY IN CANS. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 Wall St., N. Y.

THE ROBINSON MANUFACTURING CO., Agents, San Francisco.

Our Great Sale of Sateen Dresses!

ON MONDAY-NEXT MONDAY.

You will probably never have such an opportunity again. A word to the wise: Be on hand early. Our Mr. Small said he had to have them at the price if we lost money on them. And what he says goes, in Dept. "N."

CLOAKS AND SUITS!

HERE IS WHAT WE OFFER NEXT MONDAY MORNING:

500. Five Hundred Finest Quality

AMERICAN SATEEN DRESSES!

These "suits" are not factory stuff, gotten up out of old trash to sell, but are well and substantially made in our own workrooms from

Latest Designs in This Season's Fabrics!

Decidedly Warmer Weather. Prepare For It.

HO! FOR THE SEASIDE! Bathing Suits in Endless Variety!

BOYS' CLOTHING!

"My Chappie, Ye Know," "Lord Chumley," "Little Lord Fauntleroy" and "The Wee Highland Laddie." These Blooming Little Duffers, "Ye Know," are all under the supervision of our Mr. Fitzackerly.

FOND MOTHERS, BRING ALONG THE YOUNG HOPEFULS, AND MAKE THEIR LITTLE HEARTS GLAD.

We Have Everything, from a "Vacation Knock-About" to the Finest Imported Novelty Suit.

100 Boys' Long Pant CASSIMERE SUITS! \$6.00.

75 All Wool Scotch KNEE PANT SUITS! \$5.00.

We Warrant These Suits Fully Worth \$8.50.

100 Children's Kilt Suits! Made of Scotch Material And English Cassimere. \$4.50 Up.

DON'T BUY TRASH! SPEND YOUR MONEY FOR RELIABLE GOODS.

THE HEATED TERM IS UPON US.

Light and Gauzy Materials are in Demand. What More So Than a CHALLENGE? Remember, Then, That Tomorrow (MONDAY) We Offer,

IN DEPARTMENT "E." NOVELTY WASH FABRICS,

100 Pieces Wool Challies, in Charming Effects and Colorings, At 19c Per Yard. Sold Everywhere at a quarter.

NOTE—These are not Domestic Cotton Challies, sold everywhere at a nickel, but regular 25c line.

Dry Goods—J. T. Sheward & Co.

**J. T. SHEWARD**  
13 & 15 N. SPRING ST.

THAT "HOTEL MAN!" FROM POMONA, Can Be Found in Our Linen Department! SO THE BOYS SAY.

HIS WIFE ADVISED HIM TO GO TO SHEWARD'S!

He reports being most cordially received by the trade, and was so thoroughly posted that he is now a traveling encyclopedia on "Fine Linens" and "The Advantages of California."

BUT HE SAYS OUR PRICES PULVERIZE ANY ON THE STREET, AND HE OUGHT TO KNOW.

MORAL—Brothers, Beware of "Hotel Men" to Whom You Quote Special Figures. WE CAN ALWAYS DISCOUNT THEM.

Special Prices





Golden Eagle Clothing Co.

## SPECIAL BARGAINS!

FOR THIS WEEK.

- Men's Suits for \$4.95; worth \$6.50.  
Men's Suits for \$6.50; worth \$10.00.  
Men's Suits for \$7.50; worth \$11.50.  
Men's Suits for \$10.00; worth \$15.00.  
Men's Suits for \$15.00; worth \$20.00.  
NO HUMBAG ABOUT THIS.
- Boys' Waists for 15c; worth 50c. Boys' Knee Pants, all wool, for 50c; worth \$1. Boys' Suits, size 5 to 10 years, for \$2; worth \$3.50.  
Boys' Suits, size 5 to 10 years, for \$3.50; worth \$5.  
WE MEAN BUSINESS.
- Men's Goat Gloves for 55c; worth \$1.  
Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 50c each; worth \$1.  
Men's White Shirts for 75c; worth \$1.  
Men's Nightshirts for 75c; worth \$1.

And other bargains too numerous to mention. These are not out prices, but being a branch house of a large concern buying in large quantities and for cash enables us to sell goods at the prices others pay for them. CALL AND BE CONVINCED.

## GOLDEN EAGLE CLOTHING CO.

COR. MAIN AND REQUENA STS.,

Under New United States Hotel.

Cloaks, Suits, Etc.

## Parisian Cook and Suit & Co.

NO. 119 S. SPRING ST.

## GREAT CLEARANCE SALE!

## SHAWLS AND JERSEYS.

Being in need of more room, we have decided to close out  
THREE TWO LINES  
REGARDLESS OF COST.

All wool Breakfast Shawls, 22x36 inches, 35c; regular price, 50c.  
Black Silk Shawls, 22x36 inches, 50c; regular price, 75c.  
Black Cashmere Shawls, 22x36 inches, 75c; regular price, 1.00.  
Woolen Shawls, 22x36 inches, 50c; regular price, 75c.  
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REYNOLDS BROS., Architects, 118 N. Main St., Lafranco Block, 25 & 26

## CLOSING OUT STOCK. NO HUMBAG.

## THE PHILADELPHIA

## CARPET & WALL-PAPER HOUSE,

240 South Spring St., Los Angeles,

Offer their entire stock at greatly reduced prices, consisting of

Carpets, Linoleums, Lace Curtains, Shades,  
Oil Cloths, Mattings, Portieres, Rugs, etc.,  
Wall-papers and Decorations.

The entire stock must be closed out within the next 60 days, and we guarantee our prices are such as to convince you that we are in earnest.

## FOR THE MYSTERIOUS VINE DISEASE.

## ONGERTH'S INSECTICIDE POWDER, No. 2.



Ongert's Liquid Tree Protector. Ongert's Grafting Compound.

FINE GROCERIES. TEAS AND COFFEES.  
C. E. DONAHUE,  
205 SOUTH SPRING STREET.  
LUNCH GOODS. TABLE LUXURIES.

## THE SOCIAL WORLD.

### A WEEK'S DOINGS IN THIS CITY AND VICINITY.

**Socials, Parties and Weddings.**  
Banquets and Dinners—A Spanish Dinner in Honor of the "Bostonians"—From Coronado, Alhambra, Pasadena and Pomona.

Society people were so taken up with the "Bostonians" last week that they did not have time for much of anything else. The same faces were seen night after night at the opera, and the way they enjoyed the greatest musical treat that has ever visited Los Angeles must have been quite flattering to this excellent company.

From now on until the fall season opens doings in society will be very dull, for the reason that all of the leaders are preparing to spend the warm months either in the mountains or at the sea coast. Hundreds of them have remained at home this long simply to hear the famous "Bostonians," and now that they have had their hearts desire they are anxious to get away.

**THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT.**  
United States District Attorney George J. Denis was banqueted at the Maison Dorée last Tuesday evening by the officers of the United States Courts and the Marshall's office.

The following gentlemen responded to toasts: "President of the United States," D. R. Risley. "Supreme Court of the United States," Charles L. Bachevalier. "Attorney-General of the United States," Max Lowenthal. "Judge Ross," E. H. Owen. "United States Attorney," Frank P. Flint. "United States Marshal," William M. Van Dyke. "Officers of the United States Courts," George J. Denis.

Following is the menu:

- Eastern Oysters, Half-Shell.  
Potage.  
Consommé Royale.  
Eggs d'Omelette.  
Aspic de Volaille Mayonnaise. PM de Fole Gras Bellevue.  
Poissons.  
Salmon Trout Hollandaise.  
Fondue Duchesse.  
Relish.  
Fillet of Beef Perigueux.  
Entrées.  
Sweet Bread à la Reine. Lamb Chateaufort.  
Marchand.  
Punch Homage.  
Légumes.  
Asparagus.  
Roast.  
Spring Chickens, Truffe Salad.  
Pices Merveilles.  
Charlotte Russe. Cream Soufflé.  
Dessert.  
Assorted Cakes, Meringues, Fruits in Season.  
Santitas. La Rosa. Chateau Yquem. Champagne.

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### A SPANISH DINNER.

Yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock the editorial staff of THE TIMES tendered the leading members of the "Bostonians" a Spanish banquet at the St. Elmo Hotel. The following ladies and gentlemen were present: Miss Marie Stone, Miss Carlotta Maconda, Mrs. Jessie Bartlett-Davis, Miss Louise Bianchi, Mr. Will J. Davis, manager of the Haymarket, Chicago, W. H. MacDonald, Mr. G. A. Robinson, Manager, H. C. Wyatt, Col. H. G. Otis, Mr. W. A. Spaulding and Mr. W. G. Miller. After the dinner the party attended the opera.

Following is the bill of fare:

- Comida Española.  
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SEÑORAS Y SEÑORES DE LA COMPAÑIA "BOSTONIANOS".  
EN LA  
Fondada Elmo.  
LOS ANGELES, CAL., EL 11 DE MAYO, 1889.  
Corta.  
Sopa de Gallina a la Sardenera.  
Pipian de Albondigas de carnero a la Señora.  
Carne Seca al estilo Mexicano.  
Mole de Huevos a la Pariana.  
Enchiladas a la Señora Jessie Bartlett-Davis.  
Tamales a la "cora" abuelo.  
Frijoles al estilo Mexicano.  
Tortillas. Salsa de Chile Verde.  
Chile Relleno a la Señora Louise Bianchi.  
Torta de Rucio en Fuego a la Señora Carlotta Maconda.  
Fresas y Café Negro.  
Vinos del País.  
Relish.  
Zinfandel.  
Cigarrillos. Cigarras. Meccal.

### THE PICKWICK OUTING CLUB.

On Friday last the Pickwick Outing Club was entertained by Miss Blanche Bonebrake. The cards contained the following words: "May 10, 1889, Pickwick Outing Club, first entertained by Miss Blanche Bonebrake, Figueroa street." The veranda had been canvassed and enclosed for dancing. Flowers were everywhere. Banked in the fire-places, piled upon tables, hung around chandeliers and drooping from portieres, fastened to the walls of the fairy dancing-room, marguerites and

roses and lilies, amilax and peppers and palms spoke eloquently for our sunset land. Graceful swinging lamps, gorgeous in coloring and lovely in effect, added to the beautiful contrast of snowy walls and palms and gave light to guide light feet. The dining-room was a blaze of light. Light flashing from the silver and cut glass, glowing from the mirrors, quivering from the mysterious depths of nestling gems. Light everywhere, every light heart and light eyes, bright smiles and bright hopes for the Pickwickians. There were a few guests. Among those present were Misses Bowen, Sanborn, Menfee, Rawlings, Carron, Juliette Corden, Tonner, Kuhnke, Austin, Havemann, Tuffe, Howitt, Luitweiler, Fogarty, Forrester, Wilson, Hamlin, Wright, Tonner, Mrs. Fisher, and Messrs. Redick, McCallum, Lawrence, Rose, Kewa, Collins, Wilson, Tufts, Williams, Cosby, Lehman, Ankenpauk, Butat, Jones, Wright, Pickler, Ford, Lane, Archibald, Cochran, Boal and Fisher.

### THE ARVALO CONCERT.

The testimonial concert tendered to Prof. M. S. Arvalo, the celebrated guitarist, at Turnverein Hall tomorrow night, promises to be one of the finest musical events of the season. The following is the programme:

- PART I.  
1. Phalanx March (A. J. Stamm)—Prof. Stamm and his class. Violins: Miss W. A. Connor, Mr. E. C. Wilson, Master Julius G. Stamm; piano, Misses N. M. Connor, S. F. Lee; organ, A. J. Janis; bass, Mr. G. B. Wilson; flute, Master B. Olanhouse; cornet, Masters H. Barracough, F. G. Rawson.  
2. Song, "Bandit's Life" (Harper)—Mr. Albert M. Hawthorne.  
3. "The Mocking Bird," arranged for two guitars (Arvalo)—Mrs. Lizzie Hobbs and Prof. Arvalo.  
4. Vocal duet, "Come to My Heart" (Miller)—Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Fanning.  
5. Piano solo, "Alles" (Ascher)—Mr. Dr. Yeach.  
6. Song, "Forever and Forever" (Arvalo)—T. E. Royce, Jr.  
7. Guitar solo, "Lucia Borgia" (Donizetti)—Miss Mabel McFarland.  
8. Quinette, "Lucia" (Donizetti)—Sigmund Marchand, Modin, M. F. H. Fanning, Mr. A. M. Hawthorne, Dr. M. Fernandez.  
INTERMISSION.

### PART II.

1. "Visions of a Dream" (Lumby)—Zither: Miss F. H. Rech. Prof. Stamm and his class.  
2. Spanish duet, "La Jota de los Toreros" (Ysaac)—Miss Ellen and Bertha.  
3. Guitar duet, "Home, Sweet Home," with variations—Master M. Carrozza and Dr. Arvalo.  
4. Vocal solo, "Grand Valse," composed and dedicated to Signorina Marchetti specially for the occasion (Arvalo)—Signorina Marchetti.  
5. The young ladies gave their friends an evening of tableaux, which were most elaborately applauded.  
6. A dime social was given at the Second Baptist Church last Wednesday evening.  
7. "What Are the Wild Waves Saying?" was sung by Miss Camille Monahan and Mrs. Madeline Brown. Messrs. Pearson and F. Brown discussed "Poverty and Riches." A vocal solo by Mrs. Layton and several songs by the quartette were enjoyed.  
8. Mr. Harry Hillier, clerk of the city, and wife came down yesterday to witness the Bostonians.

### A PLEASANT PARTY.

On Wednesday a pleasant party was held at Mrs. Ella Fisher's, No. 118 Anna street, in honor of Miss Maggie Becker, who has been spending the winter in California.

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### A PIANO MUSICALE.

An informal piano musicale was given Thursday evening in Bartlett's Music Hall. The playing was far above the average, and the audience, who numbered among some of our best known music lovers, were highly entertained and were very lavish in their applause. These musicales are becoming very popular, and are always looked forward to with pleasure by those who are fortunate enough to be on the list. The following programme was carried out:



his wife and a party of friends, will arrive tonight.

George D. Shattuck, Miss C. H. Shattuck and Miss F. A. Crocker of Boston are enjoying their visit on the Pacific Slope.

W. F. Lewis of Racine, Wis.; L. Burger of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; J. H. B. Dunbar of New York; Mrs. J. B. Kendall and Mrs. Willis Peck of St. Louis; W. F. Pierce of Oakland; Hugh Craig of Piedmont, M. F. Bowen of Minneapolis, Minn., are at present guests of the hotel.

WALMORE.

**San Buenaventura Social Notes.**

Marrying and giving in marriage is all the rage with Ventura young people this spring, no less than seven weddings having occurred or are announced for the near future. The latest was the marriage, on Tuesday last, of Mr. F. J. Sifford, a well-known and popular young business man, to Miss Cora Bonestell, daughter of C. D. Bonestell, Esq., at the home of the bride, on Meta street. Only the families of the contracting parties were present. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Sifford departed for the South, where they will spend their honeymoon, their headquarters being the Del Coronado. Both the bride and groom have lived here since childhood, and their large circle of friends unite in wishing them all happiness and prosperity.

Other weddings are announced for the near future, and it all transpire according to the arranged plan, two more of Ventura's young society people will today start upon a life of conjugal happiness. Another prominent young business man is having a lovely home built upon the property, and of Dame Ramon has it that early in June he will lead to the altar one of Oakland's charming daughters. Whether this boom in the matrimonial market will continue this reporter is unable to say. Miss Mamie Short and Miss Sarah Astbury entertained a large audience at the Congregational Church on Thursday evening with recitations and banjo selections. The young ladies possess rare abilities in their lines, and received a warm reception.

The Congregationalists are casting about to find a pastor for their church, recently made vacant by the resignation of Dr. Murphy. In the meantime Rev. Rollo Branch is filling the pulpit very acceptably. It is probable that the Rev. Mr. Schurff, a young minister recently from the East, will receive the call.

The foundation for the new Episcopal Church is being laid.

Rev. J. M. Crawford of the Presbyterian Church is still rusticating in the Ojai Valley. His health is steadily improving, and it is hoped that he may return to his charge in the near future fully restored.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational Church met with Mrs. Maj. Finney, at her beautiful home in the valley, on Thursday afternoon. We have to report the authority of one of the ladies present that about thirty of them "aided" in disposing of a delicious lunch. Just what other good work was accomplished we are not prepared to say. A delightful time is reported.

The horrible weather of the past week has been succeeded by our regular summer sunshine, which seems all the more acceptable after our past experiences.

Quite a party of society people are arranging to attend the Booth-Barrett entertainments during their coming engagement in Los Angeles.

**Alhambra.**

Mr. E. L. Watkins is on an extended business tour in the East. He will return to his home in the city.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Jones contemplate a trip to the modern Athens the latter part of this month. The doctor will build him a handsome residence on his return in the fall.

Mrs. D. P. Walter is home from a prolonged visit among relatives in Siskiyou county. Mrs. Walter finds her blooming flowers and luxuriant orange trees a pleasing contrast to the perpetual snow on Mount Shasta.

Dame rumor hath it that a learned college professor has captured the heart and hand of one of Alhambra's literary fair daughters and that the happy day has been set for ringing the wedding bells.

The Fish Bone Club sat down to its annual dinner Wednesday evening. A noble Cape Cod turkey furnished the piece de resistance, flanked by numerous smaller fry. It was a jovial, jocular party, of whom, along towards the hour for the sun to arise, it was vividly remarked, "there was no scales on them."

The Dickens is to pay in this town. Every other lady and an occasional gentleman can be seen wandering aimlessly around with a book under their arms seemingly engrossed in deep thought.

The cause of this prevalent, mental abstraction is the announcement of a Dickens party, to be given for the benefit of the Public Library.

By a true delineation of the great novelist's principal characters, and their common virtues and foibles, the managers have "Great Expectations," notwithstanding "Hard Times," that they can "Twist" many a bit of silver from out the pockets of their "Mutual Friend," or "Commercial Traveler," that may pass that way.

Present indications are that the evening of the presentation will reveal a gathering far from being a "Bleak House."

After a year's arduous labor, the Land-Hand took their first recreation yesterday. Eaton's Canyon was the scene of their pleasure, where they plucked and enjoyed themselves to their hearts' content.

**Santa Monica.**

Mr. John Pethorie, an English gentleman, who for the last 12 years has resided in the City of Mexico, has surrendered to the charms of Santa Monica, and is seeking to purchase a suitable residence.

Maj. Mercer Otey, a manager of the California Insurance Company, for two years a resident of this place, left with his family yesterday for Portland, Or., which is now to become his business location.

The ostrich farm, now a permanent seaside attraction, is being improved daily. New and stylish cages are taking shape, and handsome lawns are being laid out.

The Hotel Arcadia, which opens for the summer season on the 15th of June, will appear in new and attractive colors.

The first of the veteran inmates of the Soldiers' Home to pass over to "Fame's eternal camping-ground" will be laid to rest today.

**Personal.**

The Arno, 425 South Spring street, between Fifth and Sixth, will for the summer furnish board and room for \$25 per month. Rooms large, airy and well furnished. The table will be made equal to any charging \$1 per day. Board, \$4.50 per week.

Scarfs, Scarfs, Scarfs.

A full line of shawl, a beautifully embroidered and fringed, only at McGraw's, 21 South Spring street.

## TO THE SOUTHWARD.

### AN ANGELENO ON HIS TRAVELS.

"Old Town," Carlsbad, San Luis Rey, Oceanside, Ramona, Murietta, Wildomar and the Ghosts of Some Departed Towns—San Bernardino.

SAN BERNARDINO, May 7.—[Correspondence of THE TIMES.] Three and one-half miles north of San Diego lies the sleepy pueblo, "Old Town," its former importance departed, interesting, chiefly, on account of its quaintness and of the Government school for Indian children, in charge of the Sisters of St. Joseph, which is located here. It is probable, however, that this school will be moved to the vicinity of the Old Mission, six miles up the valley, where more roomy quarters can be had, and an opportunity to train the boys to habits of industry.

By 1:50 p.m. your correspondent was ready to take the Oceanside express, which leaves on time, and he was soon on the rail again, headed toward San Bernardino. Several embryonic towns, relics of the late boom, were passed; but little of interest until Carlsbad was reached at 4:30 p.m., 39 miles from San Diego, where he resolved to stop over for the purpose of visiting a former pupil of his, Mr. B. F. Griffin, secretary of the Land and Water Company, Carlsbad is a charming little town, built principally in a small valley, separated from the beach by a low ridge, which shelters it from the ocean breeze. This place is already becoming favorably known for its health-giving mineral waters and its fine beach. A good hotel building is about completed, at a cost of some \$40,000, and will be open in time for the bathing season.

It is expected that this place will become a favorite winter resort, and several good residences are already built and occupied, some of them having cost from \$15,000 to \$20,000. There is a fine body of land back of town, which will become very valuable as soon as the contemplated development of the waters of the San Luis Rey River is accomplished.

The Atlantic express from San Diego arrived on time the next morning at 8:53 o'clock, but your correspondent was compelled to lay over again at Oceanside as there is no Sunday train on this line to San Bernardino. He made excellent use of the delay, however, as it gave him an opportunity of visiting friends at San Luis Rey Mission, four or five miles distant, whom he had not seen for several years, and also of renewing acquaintances with the old mission itself, which was originally one of the most extensive and important on the coast, and whose ruins still show many traces of their former magnificence. It is a pity that some way cannot be found to prevent these historical monuments from going to decay. Were this mission, or the buildings rather, restored to their original proportions and thoroughly renovated, the money expended would be well invested, and our children's children would have cause to be grateful to those who would thus preserve for coming generations one of the most beautiful of the shore's fast disappearing relics of a former civilization. Without those missions and the lessons they teach, little would remain to us of the perhaps most interesting portion of our history.

Many happy days did we spend at Oceanside now stands, long before the shriek of the iron horse reverberated through the adjacent hills. Where we cast the line and drew the seine in those happy days, where the about of excitement of the young and thoughtless was heard over some unusual success, where the camp-fire was built, and the savory fish, fresh from the briny deep, were cooked to a turn and afterward partaken of, with other good things, by young and old, until appetites were keen by healthful exercise and the ocean breeze were satisfied; where the youthful romped and played, and the more sedate strolled, enjoying the bright sun and the pure air, while the more advanced in years sat and talked of the days when they were young, or watched with tender solicitude the gambols of the youngsters, or uttered a warning cry to some venturesome youth who too closely followed the retreating wave, and then had to fly to avoid being caught in the embrace of the next comb. There came many a thriving city of Oceanside, with its depot and its wharf, and its business blocks and hotels. This is not a paper town, laid off for the purpose of selling town lots to tenderfoot and speculators, but is the national outlet and shipping and trading point of the old settled San Luis Rey Valley. This valley is being rapidly settled and covered with well-cultivated farms, over 100 families having come there to stay during the past year or so. It was not without a feeling of sadness that on Monday morning we bid our friends good-by, and cast a last fond look on the crumbling walls of the old mission.

At 9:20 o'clock a.m. sharp we were again on board the cars and were soon absorbed in the pages of "Ramona" that we might be better enabled to enjoy the scenery of Temecula Cañon, the home of Alessandro. But a railroad train is a poor place to indulge in sentiment and there is little opportunity given for the enjoyment of scenery, no matter how sublime. A mere glance and nothing more, as we were whirled along. At the Temecula quarries we saw a number of men employed in cutting and dressing blocks of granite. Coming out of the cañon proper, we passed several new towns, one or two of these consisting of little more than a tasty depot building, an unfinished hotel building, all on the raw prairie, without anything in sight to support a town or even a cross-road grocery. Wildomar makes a better show, and Wildomar, ditto. There is considerable land in the vicinity of the two last named places, and some attempt at agriculture, and perhaps in time they will come out all right, but I am afraid they started in wrong end foremost, and that it will be some years before they are on a solid basis.

Presently we were skirting along the shores of beautiful Lake Elsinore; but there was little time for enjoying the scenery. At the station we saw Paul B. Hay, the Elsinore Journalist, "looking large as life and twice as natural." A grasp of the hand, a good-bye, and we were off again. Peris, Alessandro and Box Springs were passed in quick succession, and then beautiful Riverside, framed with hills and embowered in orange groves, flashed into view. How peaceful, how bright, how contented it looked! But time is again pressing; and, though much we desired to traverse once more its beautiful drives and avenues, and feast our eyes on its gay flowers, blooming orchards and beautiful homes, duty would not permit the following of our inclination, and so we sped on.

Then came Silver Mountain, with its smoking lime-kilns, and its marble and granite works, and presently we are at Colton. Even here we cannot rest, but a few moments more and we are at San Bernardino. It is 1:22 p.m.; the gongs are sounding, and the welcome cry "Twenty minutes for dinner" is heard. The cars are quickly emptied, and a crowd of hungry humanity is soon making its way to the different eating-places, and your correspondent, with gripack in hand, is boarding a street car, bound for an up-town hostelry.

**Magazines Received.**

The Wide Awake for May is principally in the good things which it gives to its readers. It is always bright and literally wide awake in its efforts to give the best that can be had to its numerous readers. In this number both of the delightful serials, "Five Little Peppers Midway," and "The Adventures of David Crane and David Vane," are concluded. There is also a charming peep backward to the Household of Andrew Jackson, which article is delightfully illustrated. The stirring story of "Besieged" is from the hand of Jessie Benton Fremont, and is but one of the many interesting contributions to this number. The contributions department contains its usual number of practical articles, among which is one on "Meats and Made-overs" from the pen of Sallie Joy White. All the young folks should have this magazine provided for them. D. Lohrop & Co., Boston.

**A Warm Day at Key West.**

[From the St. Louis Globe-Democrat.] "The hottest day I ever experienced," said Paul Mercer, "was during the summer of 1869, while aboard a ship at Key West, Fla. The sun beamed down upon the deck of the vessel, and seemed to be so close that it would almost raise blisters. The fires had gone out in the kitchen, and as I was hungry, I procured several fresh eggs, and put them on the deck. The deck was covered with pitch, which was boiling with the heat from the sun, and the five minutes my eggs were cooked hard. This story may seem incredible, but it is true."

**Sunlight in Babies' Eyes.**

[From the St. Louis Globe-Democrat.] "A child of mine," said Joseph Kendall, "suffered a severe affliction in the eyes a few years ago, and they are yet weak. I came to the conclusion that it was the result wholly of having the child's eyes exposed to the sharp rays of the sun. Every day you can see the sunbeams wheeling hither and yonder in little carriages, with the little one's eyes fully exposed to the sun. I believe that is the cause of so many young children having to wear eye-glasses. The oculists are now paying some attention to the matter."

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## AMERICA'S "DARK CONTINENT."

## THE UNKNOWN REGIONS OF CENTRAL AMERICA.

Miller's Newspaper Syndicate Expedition Starts from New Orleans—Another Outline of a Journey Which Promises Rich Returns to Science and Commerce.

[New Orleans Picayune, May 1.] A. J. Miller, Esq., of Evansville, Ind., registered Monday at the St. Charles Hotel. He is the editor of the Evansville Evening Tribune and manager of a scientific exploring expedition to Central America, devised by him and backed by a syndicate of American newspapers. He is a handsome fellow, hale and hearty, and a most delightful talker. A representative of the Picayune visited him in his room, and interviewed him as to details of the proposed expedition.

The plans for the expedition were first inaugurated last December, and the syndicate backing such enterprises as the Louisville Courier-Journal, New York Sun, Philadelphia Ledger, St. Louis Republic and Los Angeles Times. The character and prominence of these great journals is a guarantee that all necessary impetus will be given to the enterprise to insure its success.

The expedition will consist of Mr. Miller as manager, Prof. Thomas Darrah, naturalist and taxidermist, and Prof. J. Roy Brown, geologist and antiquarian, now in the city. They will be joined at Bolivar, British Honduras, by Thomas H. Ross, who precedes the expedition to make certain preliminary arrangements.

Though the expedition starts out with the purpose of general exploration and observation, one of its primary objects is to visit those portions of the five republics which are comparatively or totally unknown to the outside world. Strange as it may seem, there are many sections of this country almost at the very door of the great Republic as completely unknown as the mysterious interior of Africa. There are tribes inhabiting the Mosquito Coast of which only a traditional or legendary knowledge is had. To penetrate this country and bring forth its secrets is therefore the firm resolution of the present expedition. The chief avenue for publishing this result is the Rio Wanks, one of the largest Central American streams, which empties into the Caribbean Sea near Cape Gracias a Dios, and where Columbus gained the first sight of the new world. Yet, strange as it may seem, the first map in which the great navigator remains the last to become known to the balance of the world.

The first objective point of the expedition is Livingston, Guatemala, where they will disembark, for a journey of 800 miles to Lake Peten, around which are numerous evidences of an ancient civilization, which antiquarians like Stephens, Brasseur de Bourbourg and Charnay have attributed to Mayas, so long regarded as the progenitors of the American races. According to the Ah Tza (Sacred Book) of the Quiches, the present inhabitants of this region are the descendants of the once powerful Mayas. The Ah Tza states that they invaded Yucatan in the fifth century, and founded Mayapan, which has been identified as the present ruins of Palenque. From this point, the expedition will proceed southward, following a great city upon an island in Lake Peten, where they were subsequently amalgamated with other tribes. This island has never been explored, and the contents of this buried city will be carefully examined by the expedition. It is for the purpose of unearthing some of the secrets of this ancient city that the expedition will first proceed to Lake Peten.

From here they go to Santa Cruz del Quiche or Utiatlan, the ancient capital of the Quiches, which has been in ruins over 850 years. They were partially explored by Stephens and Catherwood in 1841, but since that time they have remained undisturbed, except an imperfect investigation by the Guatemalan Government. Some of the largest idols found in Spanish-America were obtained from these ruins. The exploring party then proceeds southward through the volcanic region of Salvador. They will especially visit the volcano of Iztac, in the department of Sonsonate. This volcano was formed less than 100 years ago, in the midst of what was then an almost level plain. It was in the state of eruption in 1841, when visited by Stephens, and since that time no effort has been made to explore its hidden recesses. It has been described as 1833, and the present conditions are very favorable for scientific investigation.

After visiting the Hot Springs of San Vicente they will proceed up the Rio Lempe into Honduras, for the purpose of exploring the cave of blood, a wonderful cavern of Western Honduras, stalactites and rocks of which are said to emit blood. This cavern is one of vast extent, but has never been fully explored, and the natives stand in religious awe of its marvelous characteristics. The philosophy of the dripping blood can be easily explained as the secretions of vampire bats, but the cavern holds many other secrets, which will yield to scientific exploration.

The party will then cross Honduras by way of its capital, Tegucigalpa, and going through the great gold districts of Olancho, proceed at once to the mouth of the Rio Wanks, where boats will be in readiness for them to go up that stream in search of its source. The theories regarding the Rio Wanks is that it rises within thirty miles of the Pacific, and that for the upper half of its course it flows among high mountains, and is obstructed by cataracts and shallows. It is a broad and noble stream, with but a slight current at its lowest stages, but pouring forth a heavy torrent during the rainy season. About twenty miles from the mouth of this stream, it is known that there are several unexplored ruins, belonging to a civilization for which the natives can give no account. They were visited in 1858 by E. G. Squiers, but he was unable to explore them by reason of the hostility of the natives. The ruins are held sacred as the sanctuaries of their kukias (witches), who exercise unlimited influence over them. Beyond the brief account published by Squiers, in his "Waikna, or Adventures on the Mosquito Coast," comparatively nothing is known of the Rio Wanks.

If it can be demonstrated by exploration that the Rio Wanks, as is supposed, traverses three-fourths of the Republic, and by dredging and other artificial methods can be made navigable to its source, it will open up a mahogany and dry wood trade of stupendous proportions, and aid in the development of one of the richest sections of the new world. A powerful company of capitalists are ready to invest in the enterprise as soon as the feasibility of the plan can be demonstrated by exploration.

The chief impediment heretofore has been the warlike tribes of that locality,

who have long maintained an undisputed kingdom, and have stubbornly resisted all efforts to penetrate the mysteries of their great river. They consist of two barbarous nations, subject to the mosquito king, one the original Indians and the other a mixture of those and negroes, called Sambos. The recent death of their cruel and stubborn King, who was always friendly to foreigners, removes the chief obstacle to exploration and has stimulated the present expedition, the results of which promise important things to both science and commerce. If unsuccessful in reaching the head waters of the Wanks, the exploring party at least expect some important results in ornithological and zoological studies, if not important contributions to the theories of the origin of the American races, as the secrets of this region, so long guarded, might reveal some startling things bearing upon prehistoric peoples.

From some point along the course of this stream, if not at its headwaters, the expedition will proceed into Nicaragua, going down the full length of Lakes Managua and Nicaragua, to the projected canal. From the Forest awakened in this project, Mr. Miller's expedition will devote considerable time to gathering numerous facts regarding this immediate locality, the country through which it will run, and the people who are to share its destiny. Another advantage to be derived from this expedition is in the promotion of the sentiment in favor of the congress of American nations projected for this year.

The expedition will then proceed southward through Costa Rica, coming out at Panama. It is their intention to reach the latter point before the opening of the wet season in November.

This is a brief outline of the expedition with which Mr. Miller will leave New Orleans next Thursday. They will carry an elaborate outfit, consisting of medical, photographic and naturalist supplies, tents, hammocks, firearms, in fact one of the most complete equipments that ever left this country, and be prepared for a six months' journey, or longer if necessary. Important privileges from the different governments have already been assured, while passports and all necessary papers have been secured from the State Department. The result of the expedition will be first published by the newspaper syndicate and subsequently appear in book form, with elaborate plates, maps and illustrations, and is sure to awaken renewed interest in this "Dark Continent" of the new world.

## FROM OCEANSIDE.

Music Hath Charms, Hath It?—Something About Lands. OCEANSIDE, May 4.—[Correspondence of THE TIMES.] The bathing season was fairly inaugurated May 1st by Mr. Piper, who has the bath-houses. A picnic on the beach was the order of the day. Everybody and his wife and all the children turned out. A bountiful dinner was spread in the arbor, and the tables were filled from 12 o'clock until about 2, when foot-races by men, women, boys and girls took place. Bathing was indulged in, and all went home in the evening feeling that it was a day well spent.

Fishing from the wharf is the standby and everybody goes fishing, and everybody catches them. Croakers, perch, mackerel, smelt, Spanish mackerel, barracouta, etc., are taken every day. The two latter are caught by sailboat and sailing fast, and is rare indeed. Mr. Piper has a splendid little sailing vessel and can be seen every day boating up and down the channel.

The town promises to be lively this season. Parties from San Bernardino and Riverside assure us that every one that has ever spent a season here, from either of the places, are coming this season; also a number who have never been here. They come to enjoy the even climate, the best beach on the coast, and last, but not least, the delightful fishing from the wharf.

Some of the young men of the town have organized a brass band, and your correspondent is enduring untold agonies. A trombone just across the road about three brass horns and a snare drum up-stairs in the second house from me, a big horn in the harness shop next door, clarinet and trombone in the Diamond office, only a door or two farther, and a bass drum in the postoffice—all industriously practicing tonight. Do you wonder if my letter is rambling and disjointed? I feel so myself.

It is said by eastern papers that our lands are held too high, and I believe you offered to publish a list of lands offered at reasonable figures, and I did publish those around Los Angeles, and proved conclusively that they were as cheap, if not cheaper, than eastern lands. Now, let me tell our friends of lands in San Diego county. Inside the city limits of Oceanside there is one piece of land containing 110 acres, on which a large crop of barley was taken last year, and this year allowed to volunteer, and there is now a crop of barley the heaviest I ever saw, ready to make hay, and will cut from one and one-half to two tons to the acre. It has the prettiest building spot on it of any in Oceanside, and this land can be bought for \$30 per acre.

East of South Oceanside, from one to two miles from the ocean, and commanding a good view of the salt pond, lie hundreds of acres of land on which corn three feet high is now growing, the very best of red lands, and can be bought in any amount, from 5 to 100 acres, at \$50 per acre. One and one-half miles east of Oceanside is the Curtis Johnson ranch, 160 acres, all under fence and cross fences, good barn and outbuildings, a good well of water, four living springs on the place, fruit trees and vines, and every foot can be cultivated; 60 acres now in red oats, and they calculate to thresh 2000 sacks; this ranch can be bought for \$40 an acre, and I consider it worth \$200 the minute. Adjoining it lies 160 acres unimproved. Every acre can be cultivated—rich, red land, for \$20 per acre. Three miles east on the Escondido road, 160 acres, good bottom and hill land, plenty of water, \$10 per acre. Near Buena Vista all the lands you want. The very best vine and olive lands in the State at \$10 per acre. A United States patent for 80 acres. Land near the same place and a timber culture of 40 acres for \$800.

There are only a very small part of the bargains, and any one wanting to look around, let them call at the Times office and get my name. Call on me and I will direct them, so they will be fully satisfied my statements are correct. OCEANSIDE.

## A Good Speculation.

[New York Weekly.] Philanthropist (Joan). "I am delighted to learn that you have promised your sick daughter \$50 on the day she is well enough to go out." Old Closest— "Yes, the Doctor said she only needed encouragement." That will, no doubt, do her good. Fifty dollars is a good deal of money to her. "Yes, and to me, too, but it would cost more than that to bury her."

## WOMAN AND HOME.

## SOME OF THE IMPORTANT LESSONS OF LIFE.

Companionship Between Mother and Daughters—The Morning Hour in the Kitchen—The Mother as Teacher—Lessons in Cookery—Eat to Live.

We must eat to live. No one questions the truth of this assertion. But when we eat to live we should not eat blindly whatever we may fancy without any regard to the preparation of our food, or the requirements of our systems.

How marvelous is the mechanism of these bodies of ours! What infinite skill is evidenced in their fashioning! There is no blind chance anywhere about them. Every thing is in harmony. Every organ is perfect in itself, yet each is dependent upon the others. Destroy any one and you take just so much from the perfection of the whole. Let the liver be inactive and head and heart and lungs as well as all the digestive apparatus will cry out in suffering protest. Let the stomach become disordered, and the eyes look out gloomily upon the world; fretfulness and irritability are engendered, and the heart works like an engine under too high a steam pressure; the children are not tenderly reared, they commit mischief through the more effervescence of overflowing life and activity, and everything with which you have to do is unhelped and serves to annoy you.

We do not take the care that we ought to of our bodies; we do not study their needs nor provide for their necessities in an intelligent manner.

I am rejoiced that the time has come when we have teachers in physical culture; when we have cooking classes in connection with our public schools; when our leading magazines discuss with large practical intelligence the subject of diet and the best methods of preparing food; when the way is made popular for our daughters to become good cooks, and to regard the culinary art as a science which should be carefully studied.

One of the twentieth century girl will be a fair and lovely creature, with brilliant complexion, rounded form and well developed muscles. She will have a perfectly healthy digestive system, and rational knowledge as to what food she should eat and how it should be prepared. Advanced in our day if mothers were only willing to instruct their daughters in culinary art. Make your kitchens pleasant to them. Let them, where they can be so arranged, be large, light and cheerful rooms, brightened by the sunlight, curtained by blossoming vines, where birds twitter and build their nests, and where the fragrance of the morning is sweetened by the breath of flowers. Let the floor be painted, or else be covered with pretty patterned linoleum, and have all the utensils needed supplied and conveniently placed. Then, no matter how many servants you have, or how dainty are your fingers, go into your kitchen and take your daughters with you, and study your cook-book, and put to a practical test the knowledge which you find in its pages. You are careful of the beautiful statuary in your home, and of the wonderful organism of your children and teach them how best to preserve it?

One of the first essentials for a well-supplied table is good home-made bread. This, of course, you cannot have without good yeast.

Let me tell you how that may be made. First, take four good-sized potatoes; a small handful of hops. After washing the potatoes thoroughly boil them with the hops in one teacup of water. When done pare and mash. Work in one teacup of flour, one-half cup of salt; then strain on them boiling hot water in which the hops were boiled, adding one quart of water. When done pare and mash. Work in one teacup of flour, one-half cup of salt; then strain on them boiling hot water in which the hops were boiled, adding one quart of water. When done pare and mash. Work in one teacup of flour, one-half cup of salt; then strain on them boiling hot water in which the hops were boiled, adding one quart of water.

Now, mothers, let me suggest to you that Saturday shall be Daughters' day. They are out of school, they are ready to try a change of duties and for pleasure. Let them feel that on Saturday morning may be spent with "mother." That she is ready to lay aside everything else, and take them into the kitchen and instruct them in the lesson of cooking. She can make the lesson delightful to their minds and her helpful words, and best of all she will work with them. Get utensils ready, and first of all you can try some dry muffins, which papa and the brothers will relish doubly for breakfast. If they know that their daughters and sisters have prepared them. Take for these, two cups yeast, one-half cup of flour, one egg, one-fourth cup molasses, milk to mix quite soft, two scant teaspoonsful of Royal powder, sifted with meal and flour. Stir in one cup of water, and mix in the mixture thoroughly and knead it. If you find it too sticky, add a little more flour. Beat well and bake in waffle-irons.

But as a rule you would not care to go to the kitchen before breakfast, but after that is over and "papa" has gone to his day's duties then you can begin the morning's lesson. First of all I would teach my daughters how to make good bread, for with that and a cup of tea or coffee, and with fruit one never needs go hungry. But if you wish to try your hand at cake-making, here is a simple rule for pineapple cake, which is delicious when eaten fresh, and is also easily made: Rub 2 cups of sugar and 2 cup of butter to a cream, add 1 cup of the yolks of 4 well beaten eggs, and 1 cup of sweet milk. 3 cups of flour in which 2 teaspoonfuls of baking powder have been sifted, and half a teaspoonful extract of lemon. Beat well together, then add last the whites of 6 eggs beaten stiff. Bake in 4 layers. Grate a small pineapple, sugar it well and spread it between the layers.

Or would you prepare a pudding for dinner, try the following, and I am sure you will be satisfied with it: "Lemon pudding: Scald a quart of milk and stir in one cup of bread crumbs; add a teaspoonful sugar and two tablespoonfuls of butter, rubbed together, the yolks of four well-beaten eggs and the juice and part of the grated rind of one lemon. Stir all together, well and bake in a buttered pan. When done, beat the whites of the eggs stiff, add half a cupful of sugar and a little flav-

oring. Spread it over the pudding and return to oven; bake to a delicate brown."

But our lesson for today is long enough. For this hour or two in the kitchen in the morning with "mother" the daughters will find the afternoon all the more pleasant, and they will enter into its pleasures with added zest. And this pleasant companionship between mother and daughters will tend to draw them into more endearing relationship and affectionate sympathy. SUSAN SUNSHINE.

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